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14th ,,	ARABIA	7993		
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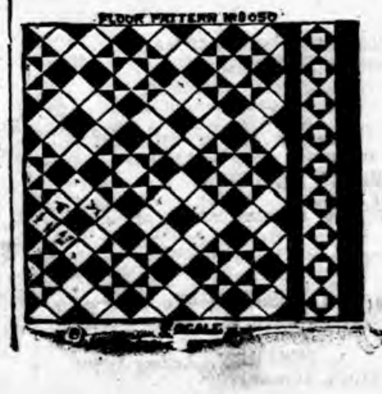

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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 388 of 1902.

1. ABDOOLA JOOSUB ABBA..................
2. JAN MAHOMED JOOSUB ABBA, a minor by his next friend, the said ABDULLA JOOSUB ABBA and ....
3. SUCCORBAI, widow of JOOSUB ABBA, all of Bombay Cutchi, Memon Inhabitants, residing at Memonwada outside the Fort of Bombay .... Plaintiffs.

vs.

ISMAIL BEG MAHOMED, the son and Executor of the last Will and Testament of BEG MAHOMED HAJI AHMED BHAMAN, deceased, of Bombay, Memon Inhabitant, residing at Koisa Mohalla outside the Fort of Bombay... Defendant.

WHEREAS in pursuance of a Warrant of sale of immovable property dated the 24th day of July, 1905, the Sheriff has been directed TO SELL BY PUBLIC AUCTION, all the right, title and interest of the Plaintiffs in the following properties at the instance of the Defendant abovenamed.—

FIRSTLY.—All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling-house, hereditaments and premises standing thereon, situate at Memonwada without the Fort in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 285 5-9 Square yards or thereabouts, and bounded as follows :—i. e., on or towards the East by the property of Sir Mangaldas Nathubhoy, Knight, C. S. I., on or towards the West by the Memonwada Road aforesaid, on or towards the North by the property of Marwari Harnath Roopaji, and on or towards the South by the property hereinafter secondly described, and which said hereditaments and premises are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward B. No. 586-587, and Street Nos. 209 and 215, and are now in the occupation of the Plaintiffs and their tenants.

SECONDLY.—All that piece or parcel of Fazandari land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house, hereditaments and premises standing thereon situate at Memonwada without the Fort in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 60 feet in length and 30 feet in breadth or thereabouts, and bounded as follows :—i. e., on or towards the East by the property of Nathoobhai Ramdas Shett, on or towards the West by the Memonwada Road aforesaid, on or towards the North by a Gully and beyond that by a property hereinabove 1stly described, and on or towards the South by a Gully and beyond that by the property of Purshotum Runchod and which said hereditaments and premises are assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Ward B. No. 585, Street Nos. 203 and 207, and are now in the occupation of the Plaintiffs and their tenants.

NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having rights in or charges or claims on abovenamed properties (other than claims involving an objection to the attachment or seeking the removal of the same) that they should, on or before the 31st day of August, 1905, lodge in my Office a statement verified by oath or solemn affirmation of such rights, claims or charges.—Dated this 2nd day of August, 1905.

K. F. MODI,
Assistant Commissioner.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 733 of 1904.

HAJEE NOOR MAHOMED CASSUM MITHA......Plaintiff.

vs.

JEEWANDASS NATHOOBHAI residing within the Fort at Mody Bay..Defendant.

PERSUANT to the Decree absolute made in the above Suit and bearing Date the 18th day of April, 1905, the following immoveable property will be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court, at his Office in the Court house on WEDNESDAY the 6th day of September, 1905, at the hour of three O'clock in the afternoon.

PARTICULARS.

All the right, title and interest of the abovenamed Plaintiff and the Defendant in all that piece or parcel of land situated in the Mody Bay Imperial Estate in the Island of Bombay containing by admeasurement two hundred and thirty-one and one-ninth square yards with building thereon and bounded as follows :—that is to say on or towards the North by the Property of Hari Dharamsey, on or towards the South by the Property of Kanjee Jetha, on or towards the East by the Frere Road, on or towards the West by the property of Assur Virjee, which said premises are assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under No. 28 8180 and are situated in the Registration sub-district of Bombay and bear Municipal street No. 28, Ward No. 1900, (1).

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. Captain and Vaidya, Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed No. 11, Hornby Road, Fort, Bombay.—Dated this 22nd day of July, 1905.

A. K. OLIVER,
Commissioner.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION

Suit No. 48 of 1904.

BOMANJEE SHAPURJEE CHOTHIA.....................Plaintiff

vs.

NARBADABAI, wife of GOVINDJEE LALJEE, BAMBAI, widow of HIRJEE JIVA, and the said GOVINDJEE LALJEE and the ADVOCATE GENERAL of Bombay ....Defendants.

PERSUANT to the Decree Absolute for sale made in the above Suit and bearing date the 13th day of October, 1901, the following immoveable property will be SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court, at his Office in the Court House, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of August, 1905, at the hour of three O'clock in the afternoon.

PARTICULARS.

All the right, title and interest of the Plaintiff and of the Defendants abovenamed in all that piece or parcel of land or ground together with the messuage, tenement or building standing thereon, situate, lying and being at 2nd Pasta Lane, Lower Colaba, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, Registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's old No. 1, New No. E 25 16666, old Survey No. B 257 and New Survey No. 2 M 9551, standing in the name of Sir Dinshaw Maneckjee Petit, Bart. and Mr. Naserwanjee Maneckjee Petit, and Assessed by the Municipality under A Ward No. 495, and Street No. 22. Standing in the name of Jiva Bhoga and containing by admeasurement three hundred and seventy-one square yards and six-ninths of another Square yard be the same little more or less, and bounded as follows : that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Hemraj Jetha and Kanjee Hemraj, on or towards the West by the property of Mahomedbhai Bowjee, on or towards the South by the Road to Beach, and on or towards the North by the said 2nd Pasta Lane.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Mr. MANCHERSHA B. CHOTHIA, Attorney for the Plaintiff abovenamed, at No. 57, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay. Dated this 14th day July, 1905.

A. K. OLIVER,
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TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 17th instant, at 2 p. m., Messrs, BENNETT and Co., will sell by Public Auction at 'Jam-e-Jamshed" Press, Ballard Pier by order of Messrs J. B. Murzban and Co., some second hand printing machines of the "Jam-e-Jamseed" Press in order to make room for new machinery just imported from England. The machines which are as follows can be seen at the Press in working order.

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Bombay, 16th August, 1905.

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Cash will be required at the time of sale.

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THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, this 16th instant, at 3 p.m., Messrs. Crawford & Co., will sell by Public Auction, at the godown No. 274, at Vadgadi, close to Bapdewal, Chawkey, by order of Khoja Veerjee Meghjee & Co., and on account and at the risk of Thrikamdass Kanjee & Co.—

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On SATURDAY, the 19th instant, at 2 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at the Chaplain's Quarters, Waudby Road, Fort, the valuable and handsome teakwood and blackwood household furniture such as drawing-room suite of sofas and chairs, cabinets, chiffoniers, dining-table, mirror sideboard, dumbwaiters, bedsteads, almyrahs, clothes presses, marble-topped dressing and wash-hand tables, rich glassware and crockeryware, best platedware, Persian and other carpets, table ornaments, guns, bicycles, etc., the Property of the Venerable Archdeacon Scott.

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Firstly.—All that piece of Government pension and tax land admeasuring 584 square yards be the same little more or less leased out to several owners of buildings messuages or tenements standing thereon and lying at Bombay, in Syed Abdool Reheman Street in the registration Sub-district of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Collector's old No. 307, new No. 2036, old survey Nos. 2740, 2743, and New survey Nos. 1335, 7964, in the name of Nowrojee Nasserwanjee Thootee, and bounded on the east by Syed Abdool Reheman Street on the north by the Musjid Bunder Cross Lane on the west by the sweeper's passage, and on the south by the Borah Musjid Lane.

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CRAWFORD & CO.

Bombay, 16th August, 1905.

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Messrs. MEHRJEE JOHNSTON & Co. will, on WEDNESDAY, the 30th day of Aug., 1905, at 4 p.m., sell the undermentioned property by Public Auction on the premises by order of the mortgagee, Motiram Govan, and on account and the risk of the heirs and legal representatives of the deceased mortgagor. Miya Gulam Surwar bin Valli Mahomed, in pursuance of the power of sale contained in an Indenture or Mortgage, dated the 25th day of September, 1901.

PARTICULARS OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground together with the messuage, tenement, or dwelling-house standing thereon, situate at Huzeria Street, outside the Fort, and in the registration sub-district of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 178 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under old Nos. 1291, 1295, A-1299, new Nos. 8459, A-8465 and old Survey Nos. 2837, 2880, and new Survey Nos. 3835, A-3834, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal rates and taxes under E Ward No. 179, and Street Nos. 17 and 21 and bounded on the east by the sweeper's passages by the west by the said Huzeria Street on the north by the house of Dada Miya bin Gulam Mohidin, and on the south by the house of Ismail Haji Abdool and which said premises were formerly and are now in the occupation of the tenants of the said mortgagor.

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Bombay, 16th August, 1905.

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SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL..............	£1,125,000
PAID UP CAPITAL	£562,500
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS	£562,500
RESERVE FUNDS........................	£110,000

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

LONDON, Aug. 14.

SECURITIES—		
2 3-4 per cent. Consols	£90 11/16	= + 1/16
3 do. Rentes		=
3 1-2 do. Indian Sterling Loan	£105 1/2	= unchanged
3 1-2 per cent. Indian Enfaced Rupee Paper	£66 9/16	= do
SILVER—		
Spot in London	27 9/16	= + 1/16
2 months hence	27 5/16	= + 1/16
Spot in New York	59 3/4	= + 1/8
EXCHANGES—		
Paris cheques		—
Berlin „	20·47 3/4	= + 1/4
New York Demand	4·86 3-4	= unchanged
DISCOUNTS—		
Bank of England	2 1/2 per cent	= do
3 months sight Bank Bills	2 per cent	= do
6 „ „ „	2 3/8 per cent	= do
3 „ „ Fine Trade Bills	2 3/8 per cent	= do
6 months sight Fine Trade Bills	2 3/4 per cent	= do
INTEREST—		
Day to day loans	1 5/8 per cent	= do
7 day market loans	1 3/4 per cent	= do

METALS—
Copper Braziers £78/10
Yellow metal 6 1-2d
RUBBER—
Para Rubber 5s 6d 3/4 value
WHEAT—Afloat for U K 2,320,000
RAPESEED—
Yellow Guzerat 39 1-2 A.-S. buyers dull
Yellow Cawnpore 39 1/4 A.-S., buyers dull
COFFEE—
Coffee in New York, 8 3/4
ARRIVAL—
Steamer—Othello.

In Liverpool.—Cotton Market closed quiet. East Indian quiet. Manchester steady. Total sales 5,000. Spot 5·74 — 5. Egyptian F G F Brown 8 1-16. Sold on speculation and for export 300. Imports 6,000. Futures closed steady.

Aug.-Sept. 5·62 —7	Sept.-Oct. 5·63 —7	Oct.-Nov. 5·64 —7
Nov.-Dec. 5·65 —7	Dec-Jan. 5·66 —7	Jan-Feb. 5·67 —7
Feb-March. 5·68 —7	Mch.-Apl. 5·69 —7	Apl.-May. 5·69 —7

Receipts at U S Ports	12,000 bales
Do last year	2,200 do
Exports to Great Britain	28,000 do
Do. do Continent	900 do
IN NEW YORK—	
Spot	10·55 — 10
Futures, month of Dec	10·46 — 16 a
Do do. March	10·62 — 16 a

a Declined owing to disappointing attitude of spinners and increasing stocks.

IN NEW ORLEANS—	
Spot	10 7-16—3-16
Futures, month of Sept	10·23 — 19
Do. do. Dec	10·36 — 23
Tone at close	easy

East Indian quotations are all reduced 1-16d. in Liverpool.

Arrivals of Cotton, Wheat and Seeds into Bombay, for the 72 hours ending at 6 p. m., on Monday, 14th August 1905:—

Cotton	2,405	bales.
Wheat	35,948	cwts.
Linseed	6,480	do
Rape, Rai and Mustard	2,115	do
Gingellyseed	521	do
Poppyseed	7,213	do
Groundnuts	340	do
Castorseed	4,153	do
Rice	894	do
Myrabollams	nil	
Cottonseed	13,717	do
Mowraseed	6,533	do
Gram	1,852	do
Joowar	5,147	do
Maize	nil	

BOMBAY, Aug. 15.

EXCHANGE—Tone steady.

Bank T. T.			1s. 4 1-32d.
Bank Demand			1s. 4 1-16d.
Credit Bills 3 Months Sight D.A.			1s. 4 3-16d.
Do. 6	do.	do.	1s. 4 5-16d.
French Francs 3	do.	do.	169 3-4
Marcks 3	do.	do.	138 1-4
Hongkong 30	Days Sight		139 1-4
Shanghai 30	do.		194 1-2
Japan 30	do.		149 1-2

GOVERNMENT PAPER.—3 1/2 per cent. Tone, steady.

Cash		99·9
1st Settlement	1st September	99·9
2nd do.	2nd October,	99·7

Money Market, Tone steady

BANK RATE—

Bank of England	since 9th March	2 1-2	per cent.
Bank of Bombay	do. 10th August	4	do.
Bank of Bengal	do. 20th July	3	do.
Bank of Madras	do. 10th do.	4	do.

SEEDS.

	Rs.	a.	p.
LINSEED.—Tone steady.			
Ready	7	6	0
Forward Sept.	7	9	3
RAPESEED.—Tone dull.			
Brown Cawnpore, Ready	6	5	0
Yellow Guzarat, Ready	7	1	0
POPPYSEED—Tone steady.			
Ready	7	9	0
CASTORSEED—Tone quiet.			
Ready	31	0	0
GINGELLYSEED—Tone steady, few sellers.			
Howree Khandeish	40	8	0
15 per cent Mixed	39	0	0
WHEAT—Tone steady.			
White Delhi wheat ready	4	13	0
White Delhi wheat Sept.-Oct	4	15	0
White Pissi 85 per cent ready	32	0	0

LIVERPOOL OPENING TELEGRAM.

Tone	easier
Estimated sales	5,000 bales
Imports	33,000 „

Aug.-Sept. 5·54 —8	Sep.-Oct, 5·55 —8	Oct.-Nov. 5·56 —8
Nov.-Dec 5·57 —8	Dec.-Jan, 5·58 —8	Jan.-Feb. 5·59 —8
Feb.-Mar 5·60 —8	Mar.-Apl 5·61 —8	Apl.-May. 5·61 —8

COTTON.—The market is dull, and prices are declining following home advices. The enquiry is very limited both for spot and forward delivery. The closing Sutta prices are as follows:—

Bengals Fully Good Jan.	Rs. 193,
Broach M.-G. Good March	„ 248 1-2.

COMMERCIAL AND FINANCIAL NEWS.

LONDON, Aug. 14.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed	quiet
Surats	steady
Good Bhownugger	5
The Manchester Market has been	steady
2 1/2 per cent Consols	90 11/16
3 per cent Rentes	
3 1/2 per cent Sterling Loan	105 1-2
3 1/2 per cent Rupee Papers	66 9 16
Bar Silver	27 9/16

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Whitley, 1352 tons, Captain A G Bonwick sailed yesterday for Leith and Middlesbrough, with a general cargo.

THE B I S N Co's steamer Landura, 2157 tons, Captain W Moxon, arrived in harbour on Monday, from Karachi with a general cargo.

THE B I S N Co's steamer Naderi, 1168 tons, Captain T S Mylcrist, sailed yesterday for Mauritius, with a general cargo and 50 deck passengers.

THE Asiatic S N Co's steamer Nizam, 2041 tons, Captain P J Morgan, arrived in harbour yesterday from Calcutta, 21st July via coast ports, with a general cargo and coal and 48 deck passengers.

ARRIVALS.

Aug.	Vessel.	Commander.	From
15	Landaura s	Moxon	Karachi, Aug. 12
	Nizam s	Morgan	Calcutta, July 21

DEPARTURES.

Aug.	Vessel.	Commander.	Destination.
15	D Balduino s	Mancim	Genoa
	Surada s	England	Calcutta, &c
	Whitley s	Bonwick	Middlesbro
	Naderi s	Mylcrist	Mauritius

The following vessels began to load yesterday:—
Steamer, Nizam for Calcutta, &c
„ Lama for Persian Gulf.
„ Safari for Macalla &c.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

The P and O s s Arabia arrived at Suez from Bombay on the afternoon of the 14th instant.

The Clan Line s s Clan Alpine arrived at Suez on the evening of the 12th instant.

The P and O ss Arcadia, arrived at Plymouth on the afternoon of the 10th instant.

The Austrian Lloyd's s s Nippon from Bombay arrived at Aden yesterday after noon.

The Austrian Lloyd's s s Persia from Bombay arrived at Hongkong this morning.

The German East Africa Line steamer General arrived at Zanzibar from Bombay to-day via Mombassa.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCES.

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OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTH.

WOOD—August 5, at Shillong, Assam, the wife of F J Wood, of a son.

DEATH.

KALLONAS—August 7, at Mymensingh (East Bengal, Rose Marie, widow of the late T T Kallonas, Indigo Planter and Zamindar (née Durup de Dombal) aged 58.

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Sun rises, 5h. 42m. Sun sets, 6h. 28m. High water, 0-24a., Low water, 5-35m., 6-20a.
Municipal Standing Committee, 3-30 p.m.
Gymkhana Mounted Sports, 4-45 p.m.
Boxing Tournament, Gaiety Theatre.

CRICKET.

Hindu Gymkhana vs. Poona Gymkhana.

THE VICTORIA GARDENS.—The following animals have been presented to the Zoological collection:—One pair grey-headed Love Birds by Mr. S. M. Connor.

POSTAL NOTICE.—Mails for Singapore, China and Japan per extra s.s. Ischia will be closed at the General Post Office at 6 a.m. to-morrow.—Mails for Singapore, China and Japan per extra s. s. Tientsin will be closed at the General Post Office at 7 a.m. on Friday.

A GARDEN PARTY AT SIDDICK BAUG.—On Sunday evening last, at Siddick Baug, Mr. N. G. Welinkar M.A., LL.B., Superintendent, Municipal Schools, entertained the Urdu teachers in his department at a garden party. There were nearly 150 guests, among whom was Mr. Kazi Kabiruddin, a member of the Joint Schools Committee, Mr. Kazi gave an individual interview to each of the teachers, after which the party adjourned for refreshment. The latter over, the Company were photographed in two groups, which terminated the function of the day.

DEATH FROM SNAKE-BITE.—At midnight on Saturday, one Ramchandra Dhondu, a Hindu boy, aged twelve years, was sleeping in his house at Purchadevi Road, Mahim, Bombay, when he was bitten by a snake. He became unconscious and died within five hours. The snake was subsequently discovered in an adjacent house, which it appears to have entered through a hole in the wooden partition. It was subsequently killed and was sent to the Parel Research Laboratory, where it was pronounced to be the most venomous and dangerous species of snake in India.

THE B. S. P. C. A.—During the month of July last, 1 horse, 1 buffalo and 2 bullocks were sent to the Pinjrapole as being unfit for work, at the instance of the Agents of the Bombay Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, with the permission of the Presidency Magistrates and with the consent of the owners; while 20 horses; 1 buffalo and 55 bullocks were sent to the Bai Sakarbai Dinsha Petit Hospital for Animals at Parel for curative treatment. During the last month 240 offenders were fined for cruelty to their animals. 5 cartmen was fined for overloading their carts and 15 offenders were warned and discharged by the Magistrates.

A SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST A POSTAL PEON.—Before Mr. P. H. Dastur, at Mazagaon yesterday, Inspector Jebb charged Luxmon Hari Gosai, a postal peon with destroying postal letters entrusted to him for delivery to the addressees. The evidence showed that on the 1st instant, Makund Bapu, a mill-hand employed in the Dinshaw Petit Mill at Chinchpoogly, noticed a bag floating on the surface of the water in a tank called Gram's talao, situated near the mill. He removed the bag and handed it over to the manager. The latter gave it over to the police, who on opening it found it to contain postal letters. Mr. W. Gillespie, Superintendent of Town Sub-Post offices was communicated with and on examining the letters, it was ascertained that the letters were entrusted to the accused for delivery in different streets of Nagpada, between 21st March and 1st July last. In all 762 letters were recovered intact from the bag, while others were mutilated and destroyed. The accused was then arrested. The accused admitted that he did so through mistake and threw himself on the mercy of the Sirkar. His Worship committed the accused to take his trial at the ensuing Criminal Sessions of the High Court.

ALLEGED BREACH OF TRUST.—At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, Mr. N. W. Kemp, Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate, resumed hearing in the case in which Inspector Morris and Sub-Inspector Pethgara charged Barjorji Hormusji and Pestonji Barjorji, father and son with committing criminal breach of trust in respect of a box of gold ornaments, valued at Rs. 15,000, belonging to Jafarji Ibrahimji, a contractor. The facts of the case have already been reported from which it would be remembered that in consequence of High Court suit between Jafarji and his brother, the box was entrusted to the first accused by Jafarji. The suit having been settled Jafarji asked for the box, and received it. He said the ornaments had been substituted. Instead of the gold ones silver ornaments, gilt, had been given. He learnt on inquiry, that the second accused had got the substituted ornaments made by one Jivraji. Mr. C. H. Setalwad and Mr. R. S. Pandit, Barristers, with Mr. S. B. Spencer, Pleader, prosecuted, while Mr. S. B. Kapadia, Pleader, defended the first and Mr. F. Oliviera, pleader, defended the second accused. A remand of the case was applied for, and granted on the ground that the police had not been able to complete their enquiries in the case.

BURYING ORNAMENTS.—At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before Mr. N. W. Kemp, Acting Chief Presidency Magistrate, Inspector Paterson charged a Hindu woman, named Muckoobai Cursen, residing in the 3rd Bhoiwada, with criminal breach of trust on the 10th instant, in respect of silver ornaments valued at Rs. 227, and belonging to Manibai, another Hindu woman, residing in the same locality. Mohanlal Girjashanker, a Brahamin cook, living at Bhuleshwar, was charged with aiding and abetting the first accused in the commission of the offence. Mr. N. B Dalal, Pleader, defended the first accused. Evidence showed that on the morning in question the complainant entrusted the first accused, who was her neighbour, with the ornaments, for safe custody till the evening. When she asked the first accused to return her the ornaments, the latter denied all knowledge of having received them. A complaint was then lodged with the police, which led to the arrest of the two accused. It further appeared that the first accused on receiving the ornaments, went with the second accused to Andheri and buried the ornaments in the ground. She however kept in second accused in total darkness as to what she had buried. They then came back to Bombay where on being questioned by the police the second accused narrated the whole incident and showed the place where the bundle of ornaments were buried. The first accused pleaded not guilty, saying the second accused had come to her and asked for the ornaments on behalf of the complainant and thinking him to be the complainant's man, she gave him the ornaments. His Worship in disposing of the case gave the second accused the benefit of the doubt, owing to absence of evidence to prove the charge of guilty knowledge against him, while he convicted the first accused and sentenced her to two months' rigorous imprisonment.

INCENDIARISM IN A DESERTED VILLAGE.

CONVICTION REVERSED BY HIGH COURT.

THE Hon. Mr. Justice Russell and the Hon. Mr. Justice Batty, presiding at the Appellate Side of the Bombay High Court, have disposed of an appeal in a case against Kondi Raghu, who was convicted by Mr. A. Lucas, Sessions Judge of Satara, in April last, of causing mischief by fire and was sentenced to five years' rigorous imprisonment. Rao Bahadur V. J. Kirtiker, Government Pleader, appeared for the Crown.

The story for the prosecution was that on the night of the 2nd March last, the patel of Pal, accompanied by two other persons, had been going round the village, which had been vacated owing to plague. The reason for their midnight visit was that there had been several cases of incendiarism shortly before. The attention of these persons was attracted by a fire in the south of the village, and they started in that direction. As they were passing the house of the complainant Babajee, they saw that the eaves at the back of the house were on fire; and a man with a light in his hand was setting fire to the eaves in front. The patel ran forward and tried to seize the man, who, however, eluded his grasp, leaving his blanket in the patel's hands. The other persons gave chase and succeeded in catching the man, who turned out to be the accused. They gave him some blows with their sticks, and he fell over a piece of wood lying in the road, thereby damaging his knee. The accused was left at the chavdi, while the patel returned to the scene of the fire. The complainant's house was completely destroyed. As the village was deserted, there was no water at hand to extinguish the fire, and all that could be done was to prevent its spreading to the neighbouring houses. The accused and complainant had been on bad terms for many years, and this supplied a motive for the accused's action. The latter vehemently denied his guilt and asserted that the case was entirely false. His version was that, on the morning after the fire, he was called to the chavdi on some pretext was there severely beaten by the complainant, and was afterwards taken to the police at Umraz. The Sessions Judge convicted the accused and sentenced him to five years' rigorous imprisonment.

Mr Justice Russell, in giving the judgment of the Court on appeal, said there were many elements in the case which might have been considered by the Sessions Judge before accepting the evidence as that of truthful and impartial witnesses. The complainant admitted that there was enmity between him and the accused, but the grounds that he gave were grounds for resentment by the complainant and not grounds for resentment on the part of the accused. It seemed from the evidence that the accused was not a popular character in the village. It appeared that several other fires had taken place there. There was nothing to connect the accused with those fires or to suggest that he had any motive against the persons, who suffered by them. The hospital assistant stated that the accused had marks of beating on him after his arrest. The Sessions Judge remarked that the despatch of the report by the police patel was suspiciously delayed. The police patel's evidence differed in its account of the crime from that given in the report. Incendiaries did not generally deliberately prolong their operations in the presence of witnesses. In his deposition in the Sessions Court, the patel said nothing whatever of the rags steeped in kerosine oil. The account given of what was done with the accused after his arrest seemed to be most unsatisfactory and suspicious. Having regard to the improper admission by the Sessions Judge, as evidence of certain statements of the head constable, it would have been necessary, in their Lordships' opinion, to direct a new trial were they not satisfied from the other evidence on the record that the conviction should not be sustained. Their Lordships accordingly reversed the conviction and the sentence passed upon the accused, and directed that he be set at liberty.

FLOGGING AS A PUNISHMENT.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—I notice from your columns that the British Association has addressed a memorial to the Government of Bengal urging that the punishment of flogging should be abolished. As I myself have often thought of bringing this matter to the notice of the Government of India I was glad to find that it had already been laid before the Bengal Government by whom it is sure to be submitted to the Supreme Government for due consideration.

I consider that this punishment is open to serious objections which may be urged against all barborous punishments, such as the degrading public exhibition of an offender in an ass in the manner once very common in this country. These objections are so well-known to all that it is not necessary for me to dwell upon them here at length. The framers of the Indian Penal Code have strongly condemned this punishment and have deliberately omitted it from the list of punishments legalised by the Code.

Whipping in the way of school discipline of a juvenile offender for petty offences may not be open to serious objection, as boys up to a certain age are often corrected with stripes by their elders, and this circumstance takes away a considerable part of the disgrace of whipping inflicted on a boy-offender under the orders of a Magistrate, but it becomes highly objectionable, when inflicted on a grown up man, particularly, if he be of a high and respectable position in life, as it makes him an object of contempt and ridicule to others.

I think the Government of India will do well to consider whether or not it is desirable wholly to repeal the Whipping Act now in force or at least to amend it so as to make whipping legal only in cases of desperate criminals having a record of previous convictions and no reputation to loose. The sooner this is done the more welcome shall it be to all,—Yours, &c.,

P. R. DESAI

Malwan, August 12.

THE JUBILEE MILL SHARES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

SIR,—With reference to the letter signed "Pro Bono Publico" regarding quotations of the Jubilee Mill's shares, it can be stated that the shares have changed hands during the past week at Rs. 555 C. D.—Yours, &c.,

YOUR COMMERCIAL CORRESPONDENT.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS, BY LT.-COL. LOUIS P. RUSSELL, COMMANDING B. V. A.

Bombay, August 16 1905.

1 It is notified for information that the annual prize distribution will be held in the Town Hall on Friday the 18th instant, and will be followed by advance. The General Officer Commanding Bombay Brigade has kindly consented to distribute the prizes.

Dress.—Mess Dress or uniform.

Tickets will be issued daily between the hours of 10 a. m. and 12-30 p. m. at the Fort Head-Quarters, and at the B. V. A. Club, Apollo Bunder every evening.

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ANGLO-AUSTRALIAN CRICKET.

THE MATCH AGAINST SURREY.

COUNTY'S PLUCKY BID FOR VICTORY

THIRD DAY'S PLAY.

London, July 29th.—The weather was fine to-day for the third day's play in the match Australians vs. Surrey. The attendance was only moderate. The wicket was fast. Armstrong and McLeod (not out 17) resumed for the visitors. Armstrong added a brace when McLeod left. His dismissal was quite sensational. He touched one from Rushby in the direction of second-slip, where Hayward was standing. The fielder got to the ball with his left hand but only held the ball after his fourth attempt. 2—17—23. The new-comer was Hill, when Armstrong, who had made a baker's dozen, put one from Smith into his wicket. 3—13—66. Noble joined Hill, who had made 23. The pair defied the bowling until lunch time, and

ASSUMED COMPLETE CONTROL OF AFFAIRS.

When Hill was 25, a confident appeal for leg-before-wicket was answered in his favour. The pair caused the hundred to be telegraphed, and added another, as the result of the prolific partnership Hill completed his individual century and added a quartette before Rushby bowled him. He had been batting two hours and twenty minutes, and had given a splendid exhibition of cricket. Included in his score were one 5 and nine boundaries. 4—104—206. The vice-capatin's contribution to the total was now 44. Trumper arrived upon the scene and made one over double figures before Noble, who had added a single, was clean bowled by Smith. 5—45—219 Duff filled Noble's place. Trumper made a further 10 and Duff a quartette. Then Smith beat and bowled Duff. 6—4—233. The Australian captain partnered. Trumper, and the pair

CAUSED 250 TO BE HOISTED.

At 256 Trumper was given out l.b.w. to Smith and retired for a well-played 35. 7—35—256. Kelly joined his captain, but failed to score, Smith sending him back without the total being increased. 8—0—256. Darling now had 8 on his sheet, and he and Cotter took the score to 269, when the Australian skipper was run out. 9—14—266. Howell whipped in, but, 5 runs later, the end came, Hayward catching Cotter off Hayes. Howell was not out 3. Smith was again the most successful bowler for the County taking six wickets for 97 runs.

THE COUNTY'S DASH FOR VICTORY

Requiring 156 runs to win, and only two hours and a quarter left to get them, Holland and Hayward commenced batting operations for the County. With the score at 72 the first wicket fell, Holland whose contribution to the total was 28, being caught by Gehrs off Armstrong. 1—28—72. Hayward had made 43 of the number on the board when Hayes came in. The score was taken to four short of the century, when Hayward put one from Armstrong too near to Duff, and was caught. 2—52—96. Lord Dalmeney partnered Hayes, who had compiled a dozen. The first century was telegraphed and the score further increase by 15. Then Hayes threw away his wicket. 3—24—115. The next to arrive was Davis. The County captain added a single to the three already to his credit, and was then clean bowled by McLeod. 4—4—116. Nice followed. Davis made a single, and then tried to hit Armstrong with the result that he was caught by Duff. 5—0—117.

RECKLESS HITTING.

Hobbs came in, and both he and Davis were indulging in reckless hitting and endeavouring to steal runs; in fact, playing tip and run. With the score at 121 the inevitable happened. Hobbs was run out, 6—4—121. Stedman took Hobbs' place, and the same tactics were continued. Davis reached the baker's dozen, and Stedman just broke his duck. The board now showed 133, and then Hill caught Stedman off Armstrong. 7—1—133. A sensational ending to the match now ensued. In

A DESPERATE ENDEAVOUR TO WIN

the County were taking daring risks. Batsman after batsman made frantic endeavours to hit or to snatch runs, with the result that three wickets fell without any addition to the score, and the match was lost. Davis was bowled by Armstrong, Smith was run out, and Rushby was clean bowled by Armstrong and the visitors scored a memorable victory by 22 runs. For the Australian Armstrong's bowling analysis—six wickets for 25 runs—speaks for itself, The following are the scores:—

AUSTRALIAN ELEVEN.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
V Trumper, b Nice	13	l-b-w, b Smith	35
W Armstrong, b Rushby	9	b Smith	13
C Hill, l-b-w, b Smith	89	b Rushby	104
M A Noble, b Nice	2	b Smith	45
R A Duff, b Hayes	22	b Smith	4
J Darling, c Hobbs, b Smith	33	run out	14
C McLeod, b Smith	35	c Hayward, b Rushby	17
D R A Gehrs, not out	11	b Smith	9
A Cotter, c Holland, Smith	8	c Hayward, b Hayes.	6
J J Kelly, c Davis, b Smith	6	b Smith	0
W Howell, c Holland, b Smith	0	not out	3
Extras	13	Extras	21
Total	241	Total	271

SURREY.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
T Hayward, c Gehrs, b Howell	70	c Duff, b Armstrong	52
Hobbs, c Trumper, b Cotter	58	run out	4
E G Hayes, c Trumper, b Noble	9	run out	24
A Stedman, c Duff, b Armstrong	62	c Hill, b Armstrong	1
F C Holland, c Armstrong, b McLeod	61	c Gehrs, b Armstrong	23
E G Goatly, b Howell	14	not out	0
W Davis, c Kelly, b McLeod	19	b Armstrong	13
Lord Dalmeney, c Gehrs, b McLeod	31	b McLeod	4
E H L Nice, b Cotter	15	c Duff, b Armstrong	6
W C Smith, b Cotter	1	run out	0
—Rushby, not out	1	b Armstrong	0
Extras	16	Extras	7
Total	357	Total	133

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

Australian Eleven.

1st Innings.—Smith, 6 for 27; Rushby, 1 for 85; Nice, 2 for 70; and Hayes, 1 for 46.

2nd Innings—Nice, 0 for 21; Rushby, 2 for 76; Hayes, 1 for 56; and Smith, 6 for 97.

Surrey.

1st Innings.—A. Cotter, 3 for 97; W. Howell, 2 for 49 W. Armstrong, 1 for 65; C. McLeod, 3 for 74; and M. A. Noble 1 for 56.

2nd Innings.—W. Howell, 0 for 36; C. McLeod, 1 for 65 and W. Armstrong, 6 for 25.

BOMBAY IMPROVEMENT TRUST.

A MEETING of the Bombay Improvement Trustees was held yesterday, the Hon. Mr. G. O. W. Dunn, presiding. There were also present: Brigadier General Greenfield, the Hon. Mr. W. C. Hughes, Mr. P. R. Cadell, Mr. J. S. Brown Dr. A. G. Viegas, Mr. D. E. Wacha, Mr. Sassoon J. David Mr. W. D. Sheppard, the Hon. Mr. Ibrahim Rahimtoola, Sir Bhalchundra Krishna, Mr. Dwarkadas Dharamsi, and Mr. W. N. Shilstone, Secretary.

STATUE OF THE LATE MR. N. M. PETIT

The meeting considered a letter from Sir. Harkissondas Nurrotumdas, dated 9th inst. requesting that the site opposite the Khatav Mansions on the Wellington Lines and corresponding to the statue of the late Mr. S. S. Bengalee at the corner of the Oval might be allotted for erecting the statue of the late Mr. N. M. Petit.

The meeting resolved that the site proposed might be appropriated for the purpose subject to the sanction of Government under section 60 of the Act, which should be applied for, and subject to payment of the present value of any interest which the Board might have to pay on the area so appropriated under section 68 of the Act.

TAPSELL'S SURVEY SHEETS.

The Board gave sanction to an outlay of Rs. 7,000 for printing 100 copies of each of 316 Tapsell's Survey Sheets on reduced scales.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is harmless and pleasant to taste, it produces natural, quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain and the little cherub awakes as bright as a button. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhoea whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine dealers everywhere.

A MILLIONAIRE'S ESTATE.

APPOINTMENT OF A RECEIVER.

BEFORE the Hon. Mr. Justice B. Tyebji, at the High Court yesterday, an application was made by the Hon. Mr. Chimanlal H. Setalvad, who was instructed by Messrs. Craigie Lynch and Owen, on behalf of Karsandas Dharamsi, the plaintiff, against Gangabai, widow of Gordhandas Sunderdas, and others, for the appointment of a receiver, who should be associated with Gangabai in the management of the business of the firm of Mulji Jetha and Co., Bhattia millionaires of Bombay and agents of seven Joint Stock Companies. Mr. Robertson, instructed by Messrs. Mansukhlal Jamshedji and Hiralal appeared for, defendants 1 to 4, namely, Gangabai, the widow; Mr. Jamshedji Kavasji Patel, solicitor; Valji Narayanji, and Chaturbhuj Morarji, executors under the will of Gordhandas Sundardas. Mr. T. J. Desai, instructed by Messrs. Daphtari Ferreira and Dewan appeared for defendants No. 5 6 and 7, namely, Ramkuvarbai, widow of Dharamsi, Gokuldas Naranji, and Khimji Parshotam, executors of Dharamsi Sunderdas; and defendant No. 14, named Gokuldas Naranji.

The object of the motion, said the Hon. Mr. Setalvad, was that very valuable property was managed by Gangabai relating to the firm of Mulji Jetha; his client wanted his interest in it to be safeguarded; therefore, he asked for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the business-assets of the firm. In the early seventies Mulji came to Bombay, and along with his son Sunderdas, acquired movable and immovable property of considerable value. Sunderdas died in 1875, and his father Mulji in 1889. On 17th October 1872 a trust-deed relating to certain shares and immovable property was made. Mulji had left a will dated October 1888. Sunderdas had two sons, Gordhandas and Dharamsi. The plaintiff Karsandas was Dharamsi's son; the first defendant Gangabai was Gordhandas' widow. Dharamsi died in 1899, and Gordhandas in October 1902. Gordhandas left a will dated 5th October 1902. Now the plaintiff averred that the family of Mulji Jetha was throughout a joint Hindoo family, at no time was there any division of property. Mulji and Sunderdas had acquired the agencies of various Joint Stock Companies they admitted other parties as partners on a very small scale to work the firm, retaining as much as fifteen annas share in the rupee in their own hands. Such outside partners could be turned out at any time. After the death of Sunderdas, his son Dharamsi became associated in the business of the firm with Mulji, and after Mulji's death, he came into the sole management, of the properties and the firm, Gordhandas being then a minor. When Gordhandas attained majority he joined Dharamsi in the management. On all these occasions of joining in the management there were no partnership deeds. Between Dharamsi and Gordhandas there was a dispute about the trust-deed; it was decided by Mr. Justice Russell that the deed was inoperative. By his will, Gordhandas appointed the first four defendants his executors On the same day that he executed the will on 5th October 1902, he had executed a deed-poll, by which he nominated Gangabai as the person to succeed him after his death in the management of the firm in his place; the will contained references to this deed-poll. When the executors applied for probate of the will Bhagwandas one of the outside partners filed a "caveat," which then became suit No. 8 of 1903, Mr. Justice Russell granted probate of the will, including the deed-poll. The Appeal Court expunged so much of the will as related the deed-poll, and granted probate of the rest. From the decree of the Appellate Court there was an appeal to the Privy Council, Gangabai filed a suit No. 67 of 1904, based on the deed-poll to recover from Bhagwandas possession of the firm under the deed-poll and claiming her right to dismiss any partner under a former arrangement. This was while the Privy Council appeal was pending. On 26th February 1904 receivers, namely, Bhagwandas Walji Chaturbhuj Morarji and Lalji Naranji, were appointed. The present suit was filed on 4th August 1904, contesting Gordhandas's power to make a will and so forth. Gangabai had agreed not to proceed with the suit against Bhagwandas till the decision of the Privy Council was known. The Privy Council, on 29th May 1905, disposed of the appeal in Gangabai's favour; reversed the Appellate Court's judgment, expunging the passages from the deed-poll; and restored the original decree of the Hon. Mr. Justice Russell. On 19th June 1905, Gangabai took a consent-decree in the suit against Bhagwandas, by which the receivers were discharged. Gangabai was a young widow, and though she was enjoined in the will to seek the advice of Mr. Jamshedji Patel her attorney, Mr. Jamshedji was not a business-man; she might mismanage the estate, and lose the agencies.

Mr. Robertson said the property was in equal shares of the two brothers, Dharamsi and Gordhandas, and this the Court was asked to treat as joint family property. They were tenants in common. But clients did not admit that these brothers were partners in the firm. Gordhandas had divided Dharamsi's share in the firm's business, to make him go out of it; he had paid from time as many as seventeen lakhs of rupees in the Bank of Bombay for it; this the other side had withdrawn; but now they asked for a share in the "remaining" part of the business. The defendants were, however ready and willing to submit to any reasonable order of the Court.

The Judge said that Gangabai being a woman, she must manage the business through somebody; it was impossible she could manage such a concern herself.

After further arguments, the hearing of the matter was adjourned.

THE CURRIMBHOY GINNING AND PRESSING CO., LD.

THE second ordinary general meeting of the shareholders of this Company was held, yesterday afternoon, at its registered office on Esplanade Road Fort, Mr. Jamsetjee Ardeshir Wadia presiding

The following report of the directors for the year ending 30th June was submitted to the meeting:—"The directors beg to submit their annual report, together with the audited balance-sheet and profit and loss account for the period ending 30th June 1905, showing a net profit of Rs. 77,408-3-2, which the directors recommend to dispose of as follows:—Dividend at the rate of Rs. 10 per share free of income tax Rs. 40,000 preliminary expenses to be written off Rs. 4,574-15-0, reserve fund account Rs. 32,000 to carry forward Rs. 833-4-2, total Rs. 77,408-3-2 Your Company holds a large stock of cotton in Japan which was sent to the Agents' firm for sale This cotton which amounts to 5,253 bales, is valued at the Bombay price of the day of shipment, which is much lower than the rates now ruling either in Bombay or Japan, and the profits on which, will no doubt help the results of the next year. So far the monsoon has been satisfactory, and cotton prospects are favourable, and your directors anticipate a prosperous season. The buildings and machinery together with stock of stores, etc., at factories, and the stock of cotton at Bombay, are insured against fire to the extent of Rs. 5,92,500."

The Chairman in proposing the adoption of the report said that the shareholders would find from the report that there were five thousand and odd bales of cotton in Japan unsold, when the state of affairs was issued, but since then they had sold a few thousand bales out of stock at a profit, and the Chairman believed that when they entirely disposed of the bales it would add Rs. 25,000 to the credit side. It was in contemplation to add one more press with sixty more gins in some place, upcountry, and the cost of which would be something like Rs. 1,10,000. That addition, it was hoped, would materially augment the profits, of the Company in future years. As the business became more profitable, it was hoped, the Company would not stand still, but go on adding more plant, As it was the Company was giving them now a dividend of ten per cent and carrying forward a fair amount to different accounts. He was sure that this time next year, the Company would lay before the shareholders a more favourable report than the present one.

The annual report and the audited balance sheet were then adopted and a dividend at the rate of Rs. 10 per share, free of income-tax was declared. Mr. Jamsetji A. Wadia was re-elected a director. Mr. Nusserwanji S. Jamsetji was re-appointed an auditor with the increased renumeration of Rs. 150.

A vote of thanks to the Chairman terminated the business before the meeting.

THE WELSH COALFIELDS.

WHITWORTH PURCHASE COMPLETED.

The Hamburg correspondent of Reuter's Agency state that the much-discussed sale of the Whitworth coalfield, in Glamorganshire, has now been completed. A partner of the A. C. de Freitas Company, of Hamburg, states that the total area of the purchase amounts to twenty-six square kilometres.

The controlling interest in twelve of the largest Prussian coalfields was acquired simultaneously by the syndicate which will be known as the "English Company, Limited." The shares will be issued in London, and the capital will amount to about £500,0,0.

Mr. C. A. Henderson, the former owner of the mine, will become one of the directors of the syndicate. The property has been prospected by British and German geologists. The port from which the coal will be shipped is Port Talbot.

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The Bombay Gazette

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 16, 1905.

THE FORTHCOMING ROYAL VISIT.

ALTHOUGH we may have wished the Royal visit deferred until India has more recovered from the effects of plague, famine and Coronation festivities, we must now make the best of it—even if the rains fail and we again suffer from scarcity. The visit is to be paid, and within the next few months. There can be no question as to the wisdom of our future King-Emperor making himself personally acquainted with the different parts of the Empire over which he will one day be called upon to reign. As Lord Lamington observed, on Monday afternoon, he himself has benefited enormously by being able from time to time to go about and make himself acquainted with the condition of the various parts of his presidency. And his Excellency assured the meeting in the Town Hall, that for any one in a position of responsible authority to do so was to gain information, to appreciate more thoroughly the wants and requirements of the people, to become acquainted with those who may in their several districts be holding responsible appointments, for this not only enables him to carry out his proper functions, but imperceptibly binds him in sympathy with the people and places he has visited. If that is true of a provincial Governor it is much more so of a future ruler. We have had a number of royal visits within recent years, including the present Tsar and Prince George of Greece as well as Princes of Austria and Russia. It is not long since we had one from the late Duke of Clarence, then Prince Albert Victer and second in line of succession to the Crown. But we have now the heir-apparent, so that the occasion eclipses the visit of any other royalty since that of the present King in 1875. The people of all communities throughout the country appear to realise this point and there seems to be every disposition to signalise the event in a fitting manner. As Sir Lawrence Jenkins remarked, in one respect the coming visit will be unique, for the heir-apparent to the throne brings with him his Royal Consort and thus the womanhood of India will be enabled to take a part in the welcome that would otherwise have been beyond their reach. The womanhood of India will not be slow to avail itself of the opportunity and has already made progress in this direction, having discussed the preliminaries almost mouths before the manhood began to move.

Monday's meeting served to demonstrate the enthusiasm of the native population, one noteworthy feature of which was the presence "en masse" of the operatives of sixteen cotton mills. The European community was not very strongly in evidence, but the hour was the most inconvenient that could possibly have been chosen even if the day had not been one of counter-attractions. The tone of the Europeans was "Let whomsoever will settle the matter. We will join in when we are wanted." But they were well aware that the outward and visible signs of rejoicing were sure to take the same form as on past occasions and that the scheme of a perpetual memorial was already cut and dried. It is a matter for congratulation that a definite proposal was ready to hand to put before the meeting, for although that gathering was convened in order to devise means for celebrating the visit, nothing but confusion could have resulted from the discussion of an unlimited number of proposals. To secure unanimity in advance was an excellent idea and, had it not been done we might have found ourselves in a position similar to that in connection with the Victoria Memorial with our funds carried off for the enrichment of Calcutta, and Bombay left without a memorial of any kind, except perhaps of such a character and of such dimensions that not one man in a thousand could give a correct answer as to what form it took. We are glad Lord Lamington took the opportunity to discountenance any proposal for the building of hospitals and the like. They are for Governments and Municipalities or for private charity and can in no way—in this country where each caste and creed must have its own institutions—be regarded as a people's memorial of any person or anything. Far more appropriate would be the erection of a triumphal arch, as suggested by a late lamented citizen, which besides being a thing of beauty would have materially interfered with the traffic and have thus brought home to every passer-by not only the intention with which it was erected, but also that with which it was not.

We should approve the Museum idea, apart from the many good purposes a museum is calculated to serve, if only because it will for once and all dispose of the so called Oval site. We have been threatened with all sorts of undesirable structures on that magnificent piece of land and there might have come a time when it would be devoted to temporary segregation huts on permanent plinths or some equally objectionable purpose. But from that, at all events, we may now consider ourselves safe. From the report of the Committee which considered the subject, some-time ago, we cannot gather much as to the manner of edifice they would erect, but it is proposed to be in three distinct blocks connected by corridors so as thus to offer as little resistance as possible to the admission of light and air to the premises in rear of it. Lord Lamington made only brief reference to the building or buildings in his speech on Monday. He is reported to have said: "I am no believer in mere waste of money in superfluous adornment, but I believe that what is truly useful is also most truly beautiful. I believe you will have a building which, in its simplicity may be a strict adornment to this noble city. Therefore I hope that both outwardly and inwardly it may be a visible proof of greatness of your city." It is not quite clear what his Excellency means. But one thing is certain that the outward appearance of the building must not have resemblance either to that of Government House, Parel, or Government House, Malabar Point- both truly useful but scarcely truly beautiful—but be in keeping with the many magnificent buildings in close proximity to the site. If we are to build a memorial at all, more money than that already subscribed will be required. Mr. Currimbhoy's contribution is liberal; that of Government is paltry. More still will be necessary for its endowment; but first of all we must be assured that the "truly useful, therefore truly beautiful, building" shall be one worthy the purpose for which it is proposed and the second purpose which it will also serve the commemoration of the visit of their Royal Highnesses the Prince and Princess of Wales to Bombay city and the five years' administration of this presidency by Lord Lamington.

INDIAN BANKS AND THE ENGLISH MARKET.

THE speech of the Hon. Mr. A. J. Yorke at the annual meeting of the Bank of Madras opens up a subject which interests not only the banks, but the whole of the trading community of India. The advantages of cheap capital are well-known at home and in fact in all Western countries, and every student of the financial condition of India must acknowledge that the lack of cheap capital is one of the most serious hindrances to a more rapid progress in trade. This is by no means a new consideration, but it comes forward at the present time with a sounder basis of argument than it has done before, seeing that the rupee exchange at 1s. 4d. to the pound has done away with the risks, which were contemplated at the time of the passing of the Act, of dealing with the London market. The days when the fluctuation in the rate of exchange furnished small fortunes to the speculatively inclined are passed, and the whole matter now remains with the respective bank rates. The current mail reports the London rate at 2½ with every prospect of a decrease—one is hardly able to obtain money at that rate in India. The prospect, therefore, of the Indian Banks, especially the Presidency Banks, which could act as feeders, where necessary, to private concerns, going to the London market when in need of capital, not readily obtainable in India, is one of an enormous reduction in the charges both for Government paper and other security loans. There need be no fear that the effect would be so great or so sudden as to overthrow the balance of the market, for the exchange commission and the profit required would prevent a slump so great as to ruin or seriously embarrass trades which are working under the higher rate. But on the other land, there would be sufficient reduction to afford considerable extension in almost every direction. These are the purely local considerations. Equally important is the prospect of a closer financial union with England. The rupee security is little known in the English market and the difficulties in transactions are a serious bar to the interweaving of the larger and smaller interests. Such a union would be a strong inducement to the private investor in England to take up Indian commercial securities to a far greater extent than is now done and, despite the opposition of the Exchange Banks whose opinion has been invited by Government, it is to be hoped that action will be taken to remove from the Presidency Banks the disabilities under which they suffer at times when the call on money is so great as to render the supply difficult and to raise the price to a point almost prohibitive to successful enterprise.

SHIP-BUILDING.

THE "Nauticus," a naval annual published in Berlin, among other sea matters reviews the progress in ship-building made last year by the different great navies of the world, among which, strange to say, Japan does not seem to have been included by the German statistician. In 1904, England built in her ship-yards 1124 vessels with a tonnage of more than a million and a half. In all the other countries reviewed only 1208 ships were launched in the same period totalling to a tonnage of a little over a million, thus leaving England only eighty ships behind what all these navies, put together, had accomplished in the year. German dockyards turned out 534 with a tonnage of about a quarter of a million, or less than half the number launched by Great Britain and less than one-fifth of her tonnage. France did very badly last year, launching from her yards only 69 merchants' vessels with a tonnage of 81,000. There were on the stocks, however, some warships ordered by the French Government which will help to redress the balance. America was engaged in building men-of-war more than trading vessels, and American ship-building is stated to be in a depressed condition. This is not borne out by more recent information, nor need it be assumed, because the colossal trade of the United States is carried mostly in vessels that fly the flags of other nations, that there is no activity in American shipyards. Still on the whole, 1904 cannot be called a record ship-building year anywhere. Most countries rather held their hands in this respect. Of ships lost at sea during the last seven years, 1·97 per cent. of English steamers were lost, and of German 1·86. North America was more unfortunate, for her fatalities numbered 2·4 per cent. of her steamers, and in one year of the seven they even rose to 5 1-4 per cent, a figure far higher than that of any other country. France lost 2·60 and Norway came lowest on the list with 2·81 per cent., not much short of three in every hundred Norwegian steamers crossing the sea during the seven years.

A JAPANESE INTERPRETER.

A singular incident in the negotiations for the American Japanese treaty of 1854 was the utilisation of a Japanese, named Nakahama, who had been carried out to sea with two other boys in 1838, and wrecked on a desolate island. There the boys were picked up by an American vessel and taken to Honolulu. Nakahama learned English and finally was educated in the United States. After some years, he longed to visit his native land, and did so in spite of warnings that he would probably be imprisoned, if not worse. He went through much hardship to get back to Japan, and was immediately incarcerated and kept in prison for three years, while the Japanese authorities were threshing out the question of his guilt or innocence in the matter of absence from his native land. When the American barbarians came worrying over friendship and a treaty, it seemed waste not to employ Nakahama, and instead of beheading him they employed his brains in translating the documents, and drawing up replies in a room next that where the negotiations were in progress, though he was not allowed to either see or speak to the Americans. Fatalists would read much into this man's opportune return to Japan, his escape from the death-penalty, and the part he subsequently played in the admission of Western ideas through the medium of the American treaty. The Japanese ennobled Nakahama and decorated him with two swords. He was entrusted with the building of a fleet of whale-boats and supplied with secretaries to translate "Bowditch's Navigator" and make twenty copies of it for the information of his country's marine. He was also made an officer in the Japanese navy. This was a much better use to put so practical a man to than to condemn him as a deserter of his country and chop off his valuable head.

THE INCONVENIENCE OF TWO TIMES.

A CORRESPONDENT complains of the expense and trouble he is put to by having to carry about a piece of paper and a blacklead pencil in order to calculate the time at which he must reach the station in order to catch a given train. We sympathise with the afflicted gentleman, but would suggest an easier if not more economical, plan—the purchase of a second watch—or of two, in case he has not one already. With the present fashion of wearing one end of the chain in each pocket, it is easy enough—a watch, marked in plain figures, "Standard time," at one end and a second with "True time" at the other. We may mention that in our advertising columns mention will be found of numerous establishments where watches may be obtained at any price from Rs. 1,500 to Rs. 2-8-0.

THE King is visiting in Germany and went to Marienbad yesterday.

LORD and Lady Ampthill have reached Hyderabad on their state visit to the Nizam.

THE Lord Mayor of Manchester has convened a conference to attempt to arrest the cotton strike by arranging a compromise.

IT is somewhat vaguely reported by Reuter that the clauses relating to the evacuation of Manchuria by the Russians have been settled by the Peace Plenipotentiaries.

ENGLAND won the toss in the Fifth Test Match and have made a big score, Fry making nearly a century and a half.

A BIG fire at Darjeeling has destroyed a whole row of buildings. But for prompt action much greater damage would have been done involving a whole street.

DENGUE fever has been very prevalent in Madras lately, and numbers of people, including a good many Europeans, have been laid up with it.

THE "Matin" understands that the Government is considering the idea of sending a French squadron to the United States in a month's time to take part in the ceremonies in connection with the interment of the remains of Paul Jones, and also to return the visit paid by Admiral Sigsbee's squadron to Cherbourg.

THE separation of Norway and Sweden will create a new Legation in London and the other caiptals of the world, and a new post in the Corps Diplomatique. A Minister to Christiania has hitherto been non-existent, the foreign representatives at Stockholm covering both countries. The new post, remarks a contemporary, is likely to be much coveted by diplomatists who happen to be fond of salmon-fishing.

IN some of the law courts, the queerest things happen when foreigners have to be interpreted. Not very long ago, in the Shoreditch County Court, a paid interpreter was gravely discharging his task, and telling the Judge all that the witness had to say, when somebody asked what anguage he was interpreting. "German," said he. "No, Italian," protested one of the parties. "Yes, Italian," murmured the witness himself. "Italian?" echoed the interpreter. "Italian? Oh I don't understand Italian I thought he was talking German!" Yet he had 'interpreted" the evidence.

SOME interesting exploration work by Dr. Bloch and Mr. Rea is described in the recently published report of the Director-General of Archæology in India for 1903-04. Dr. Bloch, in digging amongst the ruins at Basarh in Bengal unearthed a collection of over seven hundred seals bearing devices and inscriptions. The date of the seals is placed in the fourth and fifth centuries A. D. Another discovery made by Dr. Bloch was on the Ramgarh hill in Sirguja State. It consisted of what appears to be a unique example of a small Indian theatre, with remains of painted frescoes belonging to the Second Century B. C. Mr. Rea's most interesting work was done at Danavalapada, in the Tinnevelly district, where some excellently preserved Jain shrines were brought to light.

THE pattern of the one-anna nickel piece which is to be introduced in India has still to be settled. If it is to bear the King Emperor's head, perforation through the centre is out of the question, and the suggestion has now been made that the coin should be hexagonal or octagonal in shape. This would meet the requirements of the case, for one of the objects in view is to prevent the nickel being mistaken for any of the small silver-pieces now in circulation. The Government have to protect the ignorant countryman against the forger and the cheat, for one has heard of silvered copper coins been passed as four anna and eight-anna bits. The nickel will be a most useful coin, for the need of a one-anna piece in the currency has long been recognised.

ONE has not heard so much lately of German competition with British trade in our foreign possessions, but it is still going on in many directions. For example, German salt now practically holds the market in Burma, and it is making its way steadily into Bengal which used formerly to import large quantities of the English article. The price of the latter has been forced down some 80 per cent, but Hamburg salt is still quoted in Calcutta at Rs. 43 against Rs. 45 and Rs. 46 realised for salt shipped from Liverpool. If special cheap through rates were instituted on Indian railways for salt from the Punjab mines and Shambhar Lake, the importation of English and German salt alike would probably be checked. The Railway Board might turn their attention to this point, especially as regards the rates from Khewra.

THE Conference Association at its meeting at Simla also considered the scheme initiated by the East Indian Railway for the establishment of a staff of lady nurses for railway employes in case of sickness. The matter was brought up informally, and will be fully considered at the next meeting to be held in Calcutta, on the 12th January, 1906. It is suggested that a general scheme applying to all railways parties to the Association, with a home in each of the three Presidencies from which the lady nurses might be drawn as required may be feasible.

THE BUYING OF A MOTOR CAR.

For every person who possesses a motor car there are probably forty or fifty who are either about to possess one or who intend to do so as soon as they can afford it. It looms as a possibility in the minds of a very great number of people who are, however, so befogged and confused by contradictory rumours and advice that they postpone the ordeal of choice and purchase as long as possible, and decide to "wait a little," in the hope that the task of selection will become greatly simplified. I propose during the next few weeks to write some notes expressly for the guidance of such possible purchasers, assuming that they are entirely ignorant of motor-cars and unable to form unaided any useful decision as to what they really want. I do not advice any one who really wants a motor-car, and has the money to pay for it, to put off buying it in the hope that there will soon be a standardisation of design or simplification of the problem of choice. Improvements will continue to be made for, very likely, the remainder of the lifetime of this generation: and if one wants a motor-car, it is better to put up with the best attainable now than to wait for perfection until one is very old, or dead. The facts are that, although the motor-car is very far from being fully evolved, it is possible to buy a carriage on which one may travel for a great many years with no more interruptions or risks of breakdown than occur with horses and traps, with, however, an enormous addition to one's radius of travel, an enlargement of one's life, and a conspicuous advantage to the health of body and mind.

THE MONEY QUESTION.

And first as to cost. What is the smallest sum for which I can buy a new motor-car of first-rate workmanship? Answer: About £175. What is the largest sum that I can spend on it with advantage? Answer: About £2,000. Between these limits there is an enormous variety, very bewildering to the novice; and yet it is my belief that, in accordance with every man's individual needs, there is just one sum that he can spend with the maximum of economy and comfort. There are cases, that is to say, when to spend £2,000 would add nothing to one's comfort, just as there are cases in which to spend only £175 would, as compared with a larger sum, not be a practical economy. How to arrive at this ideal sum? Well, a certain amount of clear thinking is first of all necessary. What are your means? On what scale of material luxury do you live your life? Are you in the habit of living largely and easily, regarding the cost of things as a consideration secondary to that of the interest or attraction they have; or are you accustomed to weigh the cost of all things and give some thought to the cutting of the garment of your pleasures according to the of cloth your means? In a word, are you accustomed to say "Do I want?" or "Can I afford?" Believe me this is not a question of means, it is much more a habit of mind. If you belong to the first class you may contrive to keep a motor-car on an income of £500 a year, when if you belonged to the second or economical class you might regard an income of £1,500 as being too small to justify the extravagance. This is a paradox, but a true one. What we call extravagance is often only refusal to be weighed down by money or the want of it, and to set some other standard for one's life than the amount of one's balance at the bank; and I know people who would spend two or three pounds on a dinner as a matter of course and who would yet put themselves to some inconvedience to avoid the expense of a shilling cab. We may not agree with such a system of economy, but we cannot deny that it is a system, nor are they the only economists who ask the price of a thing before they decide to buy it.

A MATTER OF TEMPERAMENT.

I make no apology for these speculations, because they are very pertinent in the matter of motor-cars. You may not strickly speaking, be able to afford a motor-car, but that, in my experience, will not entirely decide the question whether or not you are to have one. I am speaking for the moment of the cost of upkeep; the first cost is another matter, and is more easily decided by circumstances. You either have or have not the meney, or, not having it, you are or are not able to beg, borrow, or steal it. I fear there is no paradox that will get over this initial difficulty—that the people in the shop will not give you the moter-car unless money is given to them in exchange for it. They are a hard and matter-of-fact community, and have not yet acquired the imagination and large view of life that distinguishes, for example, the tailoring trade. But let us assum that you have the money—capital if you like—to buy a motor-car. Will you be able to keep and use it? Now I can give one very rough rule that may be of some use as a financial guide. If you can contemplate spending a minimum of £100 a year on your motor-car (it may be more; it will probably not be less, but you can keep it down to that if necessary), and if in addition you feel yourself able to find £50 at any moment (I don't mean at every moment) without undue interference with the convenience of life, then, I say, you can afford to keep a motor-car. It cannot be done extravagantly or royally on that sum; it will have to be treated more as a hobby and amusement, like a bicycle or a little yacht, rather than as a useful or luxurious appointment, like a carriage; but it can be done. If, on the other hand, your resources are too small and, above all, too inelastic (as in the case of a man whose sole income is derived from a fixed salary) to make that odd £ 50 easily forthcoming, do not, I beg of you buy a motor-car. You may be able, by the accurate showing of accounts, to spare £100 a year for upkeep; but you may have bad luck with tyres, you may have a collision—any one of a great many things may happen that may cost you £50 at one swoop.

EXPENSIVE EMERGENCIES.

For remember this—that a motor-car is, when all goes well not at all an expensive thing in proportion to its services and the placeure you may derive from it, but that almost all accidents on a motor-car are expensive. Once it gets into the repair shop and mechanics begin to book time upon it, then farewell economy! All those pretty devices for saving this or that expenditure; the half-sovereign you saved by buying petrol in bulk and lubricating oil by the cask; the bargain you struck with the stable helper who keeps the car washed for an additional £10 a years—how feeble and futile they look when you receive a document like this:—

Mechanics' time on car, straightening frame, taking down gears and cleaning same fitting new gear in place of gone broken drilling out keys and fitting new ditto, generally overhauling gear-box and fitting new lubricators to same, straightening lever connections, fitting new boss, and testing	£17	10	0
A new gear wheel, R507,549, as per invoice	11	13	0
A "Torrent" lubricator, complete	2	5	0
1 dozen bolts	0	4	6
2 yards copper wire	0	0	2
	£31	12	8

And even if this be somewhat exaggerated, it is sufficiently like certain authentic documents to be unpleasantly familiar to the motorist's eye. And even if it is extravagant, and you go and complain of the excessive charges, it is of little use. A considerate works manager receives you, shows you the number of hours booked, explains that the time was actually spent and that the mechanics' wages have to be paid, and finally, perhaps, with an air of concession agrees with you that the copper wire ought not to have been charged, and, with a prodigal gesture, strikes off the twopence. And you go away feeling that you have been haggling about trifles. But this is a gloomy picture. I intend it as a warning, and to explain that £50. Next week I will resume the subject in, I hope, a more inspiriting vein.—Filson Young in the "Manchter Guardian".

THE REV. A. E. Hillard, High Master-elect at St. Paul's School, told some quaint stories at the Old Paulines' Club dinner on July 22. His avowal of no intention to evade the difficulties which confronted him in his new appointment was pointed by another story of a cricket match between a school and an asylum. The master of the school was at "long-on," when a lunatic who was watching the game came up behind him and said, "For two peas I would cut your throat." He asked the master, when telling him of the incident, what he replied under the circumstances. The answer was, "I said nothing, but I put another man at 'long-on.'"

PEACE PROSPECTS.

THE EVACUATION OF MANCHURIA.

M. DE WITTE AND THE JEWISH BANKERS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, AUG. 15.

The Peace Plenipotentiaries reassembled this morning. The status of the Korea clause has been disposed of.

Latest news from Portsmouth states that Articles 2 and 3 were settled by the Plenipotentiaries yesterday and relate to the evacuation of Manchuria with the abandonment of all Russian rights there and the cession of the Chinese Eastern railroad, south of Harbin.

A Jewish deputation of prominent bankers has arrived at Portsmouth to confer with M. de Witte, who has announced it was not intended to discuss the question of a loan, but merely how best to improve the condition of the Jews in Russia.

LATER.

The Russians benefit most by the Favoured Nation Clause in Korea.

The St. Petersburg Government is restricting the export of corn from Russia owing to harvests and the needs of the Army in Manchuria.

SENTENCE ON A NOVELIST.

The Polish novelist Sienkievicz has been sentenced at Warsaw to detention in his residence for publishing a protest against the Russification of Polish schools.

THE KING IN GERMANY.

Visit to Ischl.

LONDON, AUG. 14.

King Edward is the guest of the Emperor Francis Joseph at Ischl to-morrow and proceeds to Marienbad on Wednesday morning.

THE CRUISE IN THE BALTIC SEA.

Starting of British Channel Fleet.

LONDON, AUG. 15

The British Channel cruiser squadrons of eleven battleships and eight cruisers have left Portsmouth for a cruise in the Baltic Sea.

THE COTTON CRISIS.

Attempt at a Compromise.

LONDON, AUG. 14.

The Lord Mayor of Manchester has arranged for a Conference at the Town Hall to try and arrange a compromise in the cotton crisis.

THE FIFTH TEST MATCH.

England's Big Score.

The fifth test match began at the Oval to-day between the Australians and England. The weather was fine and the wicket good.

Upwards of twenty thousand people were present.

England won the toss for the fifth time and went in first. The English score at the end of the day was 381 for 7 wickets. Fry played a magnificent game scoring 144. Jackson 76 and Hayward 59.

LONDON, AUG. 25.

The fifth test match was continued this morning in fine weather with a good wicket and large attendance.

England scored 430 for the first innings. Australia then went in and have made 55 for 2 wickets.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, AUG. 15.

The death is announced of Sir William Laird Clowes, the naval writer.

[It was for his writings and assistance in naval matters that Sir William was knighted three years ago. Born in London in 1856, the eldest son of the late William Clowes, Registrar in Chancery, he became interested in naval concerns early in life. Educated at Oldenham, King's College, London, and Lincoln's Inn, he afterwards became gold medallist of the United States Naval Institute in 1892, a Fellow of King's College in 1895 and Hon. Member of the Royal United Service Institution in following year. His work was long known over the pseudonym of "Nauticus." Having lived much abroad he made a careful study of Foreign navies and his annual, "The Naval Pocket-book" is a necessity on every reference bookshelf. "The Needs of the Navy" reprinted from the "Daily Graphic" drew much attention to his powers as a ciritic. Other works from his pen have been "Social England" (6vols) (1892-97) of which he was part author; "The Royal Navy," a history from the earliest times to the present (1897 to 1903) (7 vols) and "Four Modern Naval Compaigns" (1902). Sir William was also a writer of Fiction among his best known books being "The Captain of the Mary Rose" (1892) "Blood is hicker than Water" (1894) "The Great Peril" (1893) "The Double Emperor" (1894) and "Told to the Marines" (1902). In addition he published two books of verse, whilst his miscellaneous works included articles in all the best known monthly reviews. He was an enthusiastic collector of original MSS. relating to Naval history.]

THE POONA ACCIDENTS.

CONDITION OF THE PATIENTS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA AUGUST, 15.

Colonel Burke, the Civil Surgeon, issued at 7-10 p. m., the following bulletin, as regards the condition of the Hon. Mr. Muir Mackenzie and Mrs. Mackenzie.—"There is no change in the condition of either patient since this morning's report."

It is stated that the two syces are somewhat better. Both are now conscious.

Colonel Channer is not so well this evening. He is suffering from slight fever.

The Hindu members of the Revenue and Financial Departments of the Secretariat yesterday afternoon at the Bhuleshvar temple offered prayers for the speedy recovery of the Hon'ble Mr. and Mrs. Muir-Mackenzie.

GREAT FIRE AT DARJEELING

A ROW OF BUILDINGS BURNED DOWN.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

DARJEELING. AUGUST 15.

At about one o'clock this morning a fire broke out on Chowrasta. The Maharaja of Cooch Behar who was returning with some friends from a dinner party noticed the flames issuing from Paar's photographic studio. But the fire spread so rapidly that it was impossible to ascertain whether it arose from the lower floor occupied by Pymm's stores. Alarm being given, the Police and the fire engine were speedily on the spot, but unfortunately there was very little water obtainable, as the pipes had broken at Jalaphar and were under repairs. Before any assistance could be rendered the shop of Messrs. Francis Harrison and Hathaway was burnt down and Pymm's stores with Paar's studio reduced to ashes.

The range of buildings was four storeys high; two top floors were built of wood and caused a flame that was seen for miles around. Under the Deputy Commissioner's instructions steps were taken to save the Drum Druid Hotel which stands only some twenty yards away. It was fortunately saved, otherwise all other buildings along the Commercial Road which adjoin each other would have been destroyed. The conflagration raged for two hours and then began to diminish. But the fire is still smouldering this morning.

Messrs. Francis, Harrison and Hathaway have lost their entire drapery stock, books and money. Mr. Cullinton who resided on a lower floor of the premises was not able to save anything. Paar's studio and Pymm's stores were insured, the buildings belonged to the Woodlands Hotel.

CALCUTTA AUTOMOBILE TRIALS

PROGRAMME AND THE DATES OF THE RUNS.

A NEW CLASS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, AUG. 15.

The Committee of the Calcutta Automobile Association have now fixed the dates and routes of the next annual motor reliability trials, which will take place on the following dates:—1st day, January 26th, Calcutta to Asansole, 133 miles; 2nd day, January 27th, Asansole to Ranchi. 134 miles; 3rd day, January 28th, Ranchi to Hazaribagh, 45 miles; 4th day, January 29th, Hazaribagh to Asansole, 136 miles; 5th day, January 30th, Asansole to Calcutta, 133 miles; or a total distance of about 583 miles.

It is proposed to hold a hill climbing competition on the third day's run between Ranchi and Hazaribagh.

There will be, as at present arranged, three open classes according to London catalogue, prices as was the case last year, but in addition it is proposed to offer a special prize in each class for privately owned cars driven by their owners and confined to members of the Association.

CALCUTTA UNIVERSITY IMPROVEMENT.

ADDITION OF A LIBRARY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, AUG. 15.

The Calcutta University authorities have determined to acquire the land near the Senate House for the construction of a library. The estimated cost for acquiring the land only is Rs. 3,20,000.

THE PARTITION PROTESTS.

ENGLISH CIGARETTES TO BE BOYCOTTED.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, AUG. 15.

In consequence of his speeches on the boycotting movement in Bengal, Sir M. Bhownagree's effigy was burnt in the College Square by a mass meeting last Sunday.

Among the European manufacturers, which are to be boycotted are British imported cigarettes, the value of which last year, amounted to Rs. 21,07,217.

LORD CURZON COMPLETELY RECOVERED.

RETURN OF COLONEL EDWARDS AND MR. RISLEY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, AUG. 15.

Lord Curzon has now completely recovered from his recent indisposition.

Colonel Edwards, Military Secretary to Lord Curzon, returned to Simla to-day from his tour.

Mr. Risley, Home Secretary, has returned from America where he has been for a change of air. He resumed charge from Mr. Stuart yesterday.

THE WEATHER IN SIMLA.

GLOOMY PROSPECTS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, AUG. 15

The weather in Simla is now like what is usually experienced after the rains are over and private advices from the Punjab and Rajputana plains draw gloomy pictures of the prospects of autumn harvest, the problem of obtaining fodder for the extensive manœuvres which are being arranged to be held near Delhi this cold weather will be a very difficult one unless a great deal more rain than has hitherto fallen comes within the next few weeks.

POONA FOOTBALL TOURNAMENT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, AUG 15.

To-day's match in connection with the Poona Football Tournament was between the Left Half Battalion of the East Lancers against the Left Half Battalion of the Leicesters. The attendance was very large and the weather fine. The ground was good. In the first half the Leicesters by a well combined play scored two goals. In the second half the East Lancers brushed up and showed better form, but were unfortunate when an opportunity was offered for scoring.

Their opponents were however too stong for them and thus won the game by 2 goals to nil.

LORD AMPTHILL AT HYDERABAD.

STATE VISIT TO THE NIZAM.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

HYDERABAD, AUGUST 14.

Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Ampthill, accompanied by Mr. Wynch, Private Secretary, and Captains Popham and Parker, A-D-C's arrived at Raichur about 10 a. m. to-day, and were welcomed at the station platform by Nawab Faramul Jung, Talukdar of Raichur, Mr Asgar Ali, Joint Magistrate, and other district officials. The district police of Raichur furnished a guard-of-honour and presented arms on his Excellency's alighting.

After breakfast at the station refreshment-room his Excellency took leave of Nawab Faramul Jung, and inspected the guard-of-honour and left for Wadi where an A-D-C to the Nizam was waiting to receive their Excellencies and accompany them to Hyderabad.

A special train of the Nizam's Guaranteed State Railway was in readiness at Wadi, and arrangements had been made for lunch in the Minister's saloon. Mr. W. Pendlebury, the Agent and Manager, met his Excellency and travelled in a special saloon with the party.

Hyderabad was reached at 4-30 p.m. their Excellencies' arrival being public.

A large gathering of the principal officials and nobles of the State, as also all military officers of the Secunderabad District were present. Among these were his Excellency Sir Kisnen Prasad Bahadur, Prime Minister of Hyderabad, Sir Charles Egerton. Lieutenant-General Commanding, the Hon'ble Mr. C. S. Bayley, the British Resident, Nawab Iftikhan-ul-Mulk, Nawab Fakhir-ul-Mulk, Mr. G. Casson Walker, Col. Afsar-ul-Mulk, Commanding the Nizam's troops, Mr. G. J. Perram, Superintending Engineer, Syed Afzal Hussain, Chief Justice, Mr. J. Furdoonjee, Mr. H. C. Hankin, Inspector-General of Police, Mr. A. J. Dunlop, Revenue Secretary, Brigadier-General Hamilton, Brigadier-General Francis, Major O. G. Ivers, Major Haig, Mr. A. H. Stevens and Dr. G. Nundy.

The Hon'ble Mr. Bayley introduced Sir Kishen Prasad and the leading nobles and officials of the State, and Sir Charles Egerton the military officers to his Excellency, who shook hands with all.

A detachment of the Nizam's Regular Troops, under Lieutenant Ogilvie, furnished a guard of honour, who were drawn up on the platform. They presented arms as his Excellency alighted from the train, and a salute of 17 guns was fired.

His Excellency inspected the guard-of-honour and then left for the Residency, the British Resident driving with their Excellencies thither.

The 26th Light Cavalry, under Lieutenant Wace, escorted his Excellency to the Residency, the route to which was lined by the following troops:—1st Infantry, 3rd Infantry, 3rd Lancers (Imperial Service Troops) the African Cavalry Guards, Hyderabad Volunteer Rifles and Mogalai and British police. There were enormous crowds of spectators along the route.

AUGUST 15.

At noon, to-day, His Highness the Nizam paid a visit to his Excellency Lord Ampthill at the Residency.

About 20 minutes before the time, Major Haig, Assistant Resident, and Captain Parker, A.-D.-C. to his Excellency the Governor, drove up to his Highness' palace to fetch him. His Highness drove in a State carriage to the Residency, and was accompanied by his Excellency Sir Kishen Prasad, Prime Minister, Nawabs Iftikhann-ul-Mulk Bahadur, Nawab Fakhir-ul-Mulk Bahadur, Sultan-ul-Mulk Bahadur, Shams-ul-Mulk, Khani Khanam Bahadur. Wali-ud-din Khan Saheb, Afsar-ul-Mulk, Nizam-ul-Mulk, Mouivi Ahmed Hussain and a large body of retinue.

His Highness was escorted by the African Cavalry Guards and his own Body-Guard.

The approach to the Residency was lined by the 20th Deccan Horse.

The route along which his Highness drove was lined with several hundreds of spectators, and as his Highness arrived at the Residency a salute of 21 guns was fired by the Royal Artillery. A detatchment of the Lincolnshire Regiment, consisting of 100 rank and file, which furnished a guard-of-honour under Gaptain Gibbs, was drawn up in front of the Residency and presented arms.

His Highness was received by the Hon'ble Mr. Bayley, the Resident, and Mr. Wynch, Private Secretary to his Excellency the Governor and conducted to the drawing room, where a State interview took place with the due ceremonies observed on such occasions.

After a brief interview his Highness took leave of his Excellency Lord Ampthill and drove back to the palace. His Excellency Sir Kishen Prasad next paid a visit to his Excellency and then followed Nawabs Iftikhan-ul-Mulk Bahadur, Wali-ud-din Khan Saheb and Nawab Khani Khanam Bahadur, each of whom had short interviews with Lord Ampthill.

A guard-of-honour, consisting of a 100 rank and file of the 97th Deccan Infantry, under a native officer, was drawn up during the Prime Minister's interview, and of 50 rank and file during the visits of the next two Nawabs.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

WESTERN COMMAND ORDERS.

The Major-General Commanding is pleased to make the following appointments:—

31st Duke of Connaught's Own Lancers.—Lieutenant J. F. H. Anderson, 103rd Mahratta Light Infantry, Officiating Squadron Commander, is absorbed as Squadron Officer, vice Lieutenant F F Hunter, seconded.

38th Central India Horse.—Major E C B Cotgrave, pro tem. 2nd-in-Command, and Major A P Browne, pro tem. 2nd Double Company Commander, to officiate as Commandant and 2nd-in Command, respectively, vice Brevet-Colonel F H R Drummond, C I E, appointed officiating Inspector-General, Imperial Service Troops, or until further orders.

124th Duchess of Connaught's Own Baluchistan Infantry—Lieutenant O C Ward, Double Company Officer, 12th Infantry, is transferred as an Officiating Double Company Offices.

127th Baluch Light Infantry—Lieutenant A S Auret, Double Company Officer 102nd Prince of Wases's Own Grenadiers, is transfereed in the same capacity, vice Lieutenant A B Merriman, seconded.

Lieutenant E G Hall, Double Company Officer, 108th Infantry, is transferred as an Officiating Double Company Officer, pending absorption.

129th Duke of Connaught's own Baluchis.—Captain J A Hannyngton, Double Company Officer, to be 1th Double Company Commander, to fill an existing vacancy, but to remain seconded, Captain W N Hey, Double Company Officer to be pro tem. 4th Double Company Commander, vice Captain J A Hannyngton, seconded.

Captain J A Hannyngton, 4th Double Company Commander, to be pro tem. 3rd Double Company Comander, but to remain seconded, Captain W N Hay, pro tem 4th Double Company Commander, to be pro tem. 3rd Double Company Commander, and Lieutenant M A Hamer, Double Company Officer, to be pro tem. 4th Double Company Commander, vice Major C O O Tanner, seconded.

The composition of the Bombay Cavalry Lines Committee will, consequent on the departure, on privilege leave, of Brevet-Colonel E. F. H. Mc Swiney, C. B., D. S. O., Commandant. 20th Deccan Horse. and until further orders, be as follows:—

Resident: Lieutenant-Colonel A. W. Forbes, 3th (Prince Albert Victor's Own) Poona Horse, Members: Lieutenant-Colonel C. F. Grantham, 33rd (Queen's Own) Light Cavalry, Major A. A. Jones, 20th Deccan Horse.

The undermentioned Officers have been permitted to return to duty:—Captain G. M. Molloy, 34th, Prince Albert Victor's Own Poona Horse. Brevet-Colonel G. E. Even, 12th Baluch eight Infantry.

The undermentioned Officers have been granted extensions of leave:—Lieutenant-Colonel G. A. Cookson, 21st Lancers, for ten days. on private affairs. Lieutenant E. Dickson, 74th Punjabis for two months. on medical certificate:—

POONA JUNIOR POLO.

33rd CAVALRY vs. R. F. A.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, AUG. 15.

The first round of Poona Junior Polo tournament was completed this evening before a very large number of spectators. The first game was between the 33rd Cavalry and the R. F. A. It was at once evident that the Cavalrymen had a superior combination and training to the Gunners who, however, played up pluckily and succeeded in averting a complete defeat. The Cavalry won by 5 goals, 2 subs to the Gunners' 2 goals. From the start it was hard to choose between the two. The Gunners were admirably on the alert and, though hotly pressed, never once gave their opponents a chance to score. But in the second chukker the Cavalry put on spurt and before the Gunners knew where they were, four goals in rapid succession were scored by the Cavalry, while the Gunners held a blank sheet. The next chukker was devoid of any interest, but the play was fast and very interesting right through. The only achievement was that of the Cavalry who knocked up a subsidiary. The Cavalry were out of joint in the fourth chakkar while the Gunners by dint of some clever tacking managed to score their first goal. In the next chukker the Gunners were again successful and placed a second goal to their credit. Score:—

33rd Cavalry.................... 5 Goals, 2 Subs.
R. F. A.......................... 2 Goals.

The following are the names of the players:—R. F. A:—Captain Wald, Messrs Palmer, Cooper and Roper. 83rd Cavalry:—Captain Alexander, Messrs Kenworth, Anderson and Ferris. Umpires:—Captains Cadogan and Bremner.

10th HUSSARS vs. 93rd HIGHLANDERS.

The second game was between the 10th Hussars and the 93th Highlanders. The Hussars from Mhow had an easy tackle with the Highlanders and speedily set all speculations at rest by scoring goal after goal. But the home team were not in the least dispirited and played in a handsome style, though the Hussars were too much for them. Soon after the hit off the Hussars notched their first goal and continued to ride on in characteristic cavalry dash. The Highlanders were out of luck. The second chukker opened with further scoring on the part of the Hussars who with two goals already to their credit played on heartily enough. In the third and fourth chukkers the Hussars had an advantage. They earned two further goals, while the Highlanders just managed to get a look in and snatched their first goal. The Highlanders now brushed up and played a fast determined game, but fruitlessly, for the final chukker was all in favour of the Hussars who wound up the match by the following score:—

10th Hussars ....6 Goals.
Highlanders.......................1 Goal, 2 Subs.

The following are the names of players:—10th Hussars:—Captain Kewsey, Major Vaughan, Messrs. Birch and Palmer. 93rd Highlanders.—Messrs. Hartley, Herbert, Kennedy and Cuningham. Umpires. Major Wogan Browne and Captain Lambert.

DEPARTUBE OF H. E. THE GOVERNOR.

HIS EXCELLENCY Lord Lamington accompanied by Mr. J. H. Du Boulay, Private Secretary, Major M. T. Yarr, Medical Officer and Major F. Lee, Military Secretary left Bombay (Victoria Terminus) yesterday at noon, for Nasik by the Nagpur Mail. On his arrival at the station, he was met by Mr Sassoon J. David, Sheriff of Bombay, Mr. H. G. Gell, Police Commissioner, Mr. P. R. Cadell, Collector of Bombay, Mr. James McDonald, Father George, Mr. G. F. Keatinge, Mr. Lovat Fraser, the Hon. Mr. G. O. W. Dunn, and Mr. E. D. Talati

ARRIVAL AT NASIK.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NASIK, AUG. 15.

His Excellency Lord Lamington reached Nasik at 4-30 p.m, and was met at the station by Mr. R. A. L Moore, the District Collector, and district officials. The Governor then proceeded to the District Court and was presented with addresses from the Municipality and the Local Board, Having thanked them, for their cordial greeting his Excellency proceeded to the Collector's bungalow. To-day the Governor visits the Leper Asylum, Jail, Katcheri and hospitals.

NEWS LATER THAN THE MAIL.

STUDY OF THE BIBLE.

AMERICAN ENDOWS A COLLEGE FOR THE PURPOSE.

London, July 29th.—The late Mr. Moses Dropsie, of Philadelphia, U. S. A., who died recently, has left £160,000 for the endowment of a college for the study of the Bible and Hebrew literature.

Students are not to be restricted by consideration of colour, creed, or sex.

THE TRUNK TRAGEDY.

DEVEREUX FOUND GUILTY.

London, July 30th.—After a four-days' trial, the man Arthur Devereux, a young chemist of Kensal Rise, London, who was arrested in April last on a charge of murdering his wife and her twin children in the January previous, was concluded yesterday.

The accused was found guilty and sentenced to death.

Throughout the trial Devereux's demeanour was remarkably callous. He went into the witness-box without hesitation, and, without emotion, he described how he spent hours in packing and re-packing the bodies.

He reiterated the story of his wife's suicide.

THE RUSSIAN UNREST.

London, July 29th.—The suspension of the St. Petersburg journal, the "Novosti," was due to the fact of its having reprinted the text of M. Buliguine's reform scheme for distribution at the Zemstvos Congress, whence it was circulated broadcast throughout the country.

GERMANY AND THE MARSHALL ISLANDS.

STRONG COMMENTS BY "THE TIMES."

AUSTRALIA URGED TO RETALIATE.

London, July 29th.—Commenting on a letter in its columns from Mr. T. A. Coghlan, Agent-General for New South Wales, explaining the situation in the Marshall Islands, "The Times" remarks that Germany's excuses have added insult to injury.

Germany, it says, was not disposed to alter a transparently illusory arrangement until the Australians began to hint at retaliation.

If, it continues, little money is involved, Germany's denial of justice to the Commonwealth traders is all the more inexcusable.

The lesson of the dispute, proceeds "The Times" is plain. Great Britain is powerless to protect British commerce, she having nothing to negotiate with and no punitive powers, except the arbitrament of war.

Lord Lansdowne, remarks the same journal, might have written despatches till the crack of doom. He would never have obtained anything except pettifogging answers. The Australians themselves however, have obtained a promise of redress, and it rests with them to see that redress is genuine and adequate. They have something to negotiate with. They have the power to retaliate, when they are commercially injured. They are the masters of their own domestic legislation. They are not tied hand and foot. Only the fear that Australia possessed £6,000,000 worth of German commerce to operate upon brought the German Government to reason.

Australia, adds "The Times," can imitate Canada's example by adopting a preferential tariff, or she has other ways of making her displeasure felt, and we can only hope that she will not shrink from using her power. Germany is in no sense indispensable to the Australians, while they are very useful to Germany. By insisting on the fullest equality of treatment, and an adequate compensation for past injury, they will do a good thing for themselves and a good thing for the Empire.

CRICKET IN BOMBAY.

BOMBAY GYMKHANA vs. POONA GYMKHANA.

SECOND DAY'S PLAY.

THE winning lead obtained by the Bombay Gymkhana in their match with the Poona Gymkhana at the end of the first day's play, when at the drawing of stumps they were 121 runs to the good, and had still eight wickets to fall was maintained to the end, victory declaring itself for the home team by the substantial margin of 61 runs. The visitors were not lucky in having to bat in the fourth innings on a wicket, which had begun to show signs of breaking up, and added to this the unusual climatic conditions and their long outing in the field on Monday had evidently told on some of the team. The day was an intensely hot one in spite of the heavy clouds, which hung about and the wicket did not play as well as on the previous day. This was obvious from the cautious way the overnight not-outs, Ward and Douglas, started, but the latter after a bit hit out freely and the total was carried to 81 before Ward left caught by Lyon in the long field off Ling for 2. Powell was next in and with the addition of only five to the total was caught and bowled by Ling. Kiddle succeeded and with the total at 92 lost Douglas, who was bowled by Ling after making 15. Harrington followed but a rot had now set in and one run later Kiddle was out l. b. w. to Ling who had so far taken four wickets for 21 runs. Wodehouse the next man never looked like staying, being bowled by Winterbottom with the total 98 for 2. Sanderson remained with Harrington until the total was 108, when he left, also bowled by Winterbottom. Vines who succeeded was bowled by Ling three runs later after making 2, and when Ainsworth the last man joined Harrington, it looked probable that the total would not be carried to 120. Harrington, however, as in the first innings, was batting very carefully and shortly after Ainsworth joined him commenced playing with great confidence, whilst his partner hit at nearly everything. The two men fairly collared the bowling and the decades went up one after the other until 160 was reached. One run later Ainsworth was caught in the slips off Ling for 31, leaving Harrington to carry his bat out for 28. The partnership which lasted exactly 20, minutes produced 50 runs and was of the utmost value. Ainsworth's display was a fine exhibition of hard hitting at a critical stage of the innings, while Harrington's defensive batting has rarely, if ever, been seen to better advantage. Ling bowled very finely and his six wickets for 62 was a capital performance. The innings closed at ten minutes to one, and Poona, who required 221 to win had thirty minutes batting before tiffin. Captain Rutter and Major Carnegy were sent in first and playing an exceedingly cautious game were together, when the bell rang, the total then being 18.

Captain Rutter and Major Carnegy, the not-outs, before tiffin resumed their innings at 2-30 and for the next half hour the dullest cricket probably ever seen on Bombay Gymkhana ground was witnessed. Rutter contented himself with merely keeping up his wicket and although he was in for 40 minutes after tiffin he only added two runs during that period to his score. Carnegy endeavoured to enliven up things a bit, but even his rate of scoring was at times painfully slow. Forty minutes after the resumption of play Rutter was smartly caught at point by Aston off Powell, having taken an hour and ten minutes to make 9. The partnership for the first wicket had altogether produced 39 runs of which Carnegy had made 27. Airy filled the vacancy and before Carngey had made another run he placed his leg in front of a straight ball from Ainsworth. His innings had lasted an hour and a quarter and was a fine exhibition of sound defensive if deadly slow cricket. Two wickets for 40, although not exactly very promising for Poona, was not bad enough to suggest a defeat and when Clarke, who succeeded, joined Airy there were early evidences of another prolific partnership. Runs continued to come very slowly and nearly another half hour elapsed before the total was brought to 58 at which point Clarke succumbed to a catch at mid-off off Powell. He had just entered double figures and gave promise of making a much larger score. Three wickets for 58 was a bit serious, but was nothing to what came after. First Ling and then Lyon and Finlayson in rapid succession lost their wickets Powell bowling all three. Six wickets for 64 made the position a hopeless one for Poona and although Bayford bythe most plucky criket afterwards brought the total to 108 in partnership with Airy, there never seemed much chance of Poona winning. After Bayford's dismissal who had made 22, several fresh disasters occurred. Airy who had batted with great confidence was smartly stumped by Sanderson off Douglas for 29. the total then being 110. He had shaped very well indeed and was getting dangerous when dismissed. Stevens who followed was bowled by the same bowler from the first ball he received and when Winterbottom joined Gray who had succeeded Bayford, the match seemed over. A surprise, however, awaited the spectators for both men playing capital cricket completely collared the bowling and for the second time during the day an exciting last wicket partnership was witnessed. Gray hit with tremendous vigour and when the end came, which was brought by a catch at mid-on off Ainsworth's bowling, he had made 33. His score included 1 six and 4 fours and the partnership carried the score from 110 to 159, being just one less than the last wicket parnership in the second innings of the Bombay Gymkhana. Winterbottom the not out made 16 by sound cricket. The innings closing for 159 left Poona defeated by 61 runs. Powell for the second time in the match bowled splendidly taking five wickets for 40 runs.

The chief features in the match from a Bombay point of vew were the excellent displays given with the bat by Kiddle, Aston, Harrington, and Ainsworth and the bowling of Powell. The first named had the distinction of making the highest score in the match. Aston made useful scores in both innings. Harrington's defensive cricket was invaluable in both innings and his 44 in the match for once out was quite one of the best features of the two days' play. His partnership with Ainsworth in the second innings had a good deal to do with the victory obtained by the Bombay Gymkhana. Ainsworth hit brilliantly in the second innings and deserved the greatest credit for his excellent display. Powell's bowling was the best in the match. Altogether he captured eleven wickets for 74 runs, and this for a bowler who has hitherto usually gone on third or fourth change was a distinctly creditable performance. For Poona the chief batting honours were easily Rutter's whose first innings was perhaps the best in the match. The bowling honours were carried off by Ling who in the match took ten wickets for 106 runs.

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SPORT IN ENGLAND.

Cross Channel Swims.

THE FOURTH TEST MATCH.

FINE BOWLING AND FIELDING.

LONDON, JULY 28.

THE great game is now history, and England has beaten Australia at Old Tafford by an innings and 80 runs. After all the fears and hopes which the varying fortunes of such a contest excite, the decisive character of the result came as a surprise. Yet it was largely due to a purely material almost a prosaic cause—the rain that fell overnight and during yesterday morning. In its overwhelming sense the victory was weather-won and the tame but still interesting finish must be attributed to the change in the wicket which occurred between the close of play on Tuesday and the resumption on Wednesday. The wicket had rolled out well, when Australia, following on, went in for the second innings. Indeed for the first time in the match the pitch could be described as in favour of the batsmen while the Australians were batting for the ninety-five minutes at the end of the day, during which they made 118 runs for the loss of Trumper's wicket. Had the weather remained fine and the pitch been in the same run-getting condition as during the ninety-five minutes just referred to, there would almost certainly have been another draw, for rain fell just after lunch and continued for the remainder of the day. But the wicket, instead of being in the same run-getting condition as during the final stage of Tuesday's play, was more difficult than at any previous period of the match. It was just sufficiently soft to make the ball turn quickly. From the first Australia were in an almost hopeless position, and their defeat was inevitable. For all that, and allowing for the remarkably fine bowling of Brearley, Arnold, and Rhodes and the splendid work done in the field, it must be admitted that the batsmen contributed to their own downfall.

In the Lord's match, it will be remembered, the Australians won high praise for their daring play on a treacherous pitch. On that occasion fortune favoured the brave and what might have been called sheer slogging in meaner men was crowned with sufficient success to blind even instructed eyes to the demerits of the methods adopted. On Wednesday the pitch, though in favour of the bowlers, was never sufficiently treacherous to warrant reckless hitting. By the exercise of patience and watchfulness the Australian batsmen might have kept up their ends sufficiently long to make England's victory doubtful. By accepting all too readily the situation as hopeless and by indulging in reckless hitting, the Australians made an English victory certain.

The clouds were still heavy over the ground and only a few thousand people had assembled—it was no doubt thought that rain would again fall—when at twelve o'clock, an hour after the time fixed for the resumption of play, the wicket was found to be fit and the men came on to the field. Tyldesley had hurt his hand so badly when attempting the running catch for one of Darling's big hits on Tuesday that he could not field, and A. O. Jones came out in his place. Jones, of course, is himself a splendid field. Brearley and Arnold were the bowlers, and Duff (58) and Hill (26) were the batsmen, while the total was 118 for one wicket. Brearley from the first again bowled remarkably well. Duff pulled his second ball—a long hop—for a couple, but made a wild hit at the fourth delivery—a good-length ball and fast,—and Spooner brought off a splendid running catch at cover-point, one of the prettiest things seen on the ground. It deserved all the cheering it got. Then Hill made a similar wild stroke at the first ball of Arnold's second over and gave Jones an easy catch at third man. Both strokes could be described as suicidal. Thus two wickets had fallen for the addition of four runs to the overnight total.

Armstrong and Noble were now together, and Australian's chance of saving the game—apart from rain coming on—seemed to depend upon how these two would withstand the bowling. It was soon evident, however, that the fate of Duff and Hill had failed to impress the batsmen with the necessity for caution. Armstrong made one fine off drive to the boundary off Brearley, but in the same over, he all but played on, and was finally bowled in making a wild drive at a fast yorker. His dismissal was soon followed by that of Darling. The Australian captain made a speculative strike at the very first ball he received and was out to what was undoubtedly the finest catch of the match—a brilliant piece of work in the slips by Rhodes, who took a very fast-travelling ball that came to him low and wide with a coolness and judgment that could not have been surpassed. Rhodes altogether made four catches in the innings. The fourth and fifth wickets both fell at 133, while at 146 Noble was out to an easy catch in the slips from quite as speculative a stroke as led to the early downfall of Darling. At the same total Kelly was splendidly taken at short leg by Rhodes off a hot stroke, so that seven wickets were now down for 146, six having fallen in 55 minutes for the addition of 28 runs to the overnight score. Gehrs, who had not scored in the first innings, made a few good strokes, and then Brearley, who had bowled without a rest, came off and Rhodes went on. Gehrs at once returned a ball to the new bowler. At the same total Cotter ran himself out rather foolishly. Spooner, at cover-point got the ball and it was momentarily back at the wicket again. M'Leod and Laver added eleven for the last wicket, and then the former hit out recklessly at Rhodes and was taken easily at deep point. Nine wickets thus fell in an hour and a quarter for 51 runs, and the great match ended in the tamest fashion.

Looking back over the game, there can be no question that England's victory was due not to better luck but to superior cricket. On the other hand, the extremely decisive character of the victory was aided by England's good fortune in winning the toss and to the rain that fell on Tuesday night and Wednesday morning. In winning the toss England it is true, gained no great immediate advantage. Indeed, the reverse was the case, for it is not too much to say that Australia were primarily placed in a losing position by the inability of the Australian bowlers to avail themselves of the condition of the pitch during the first two hours of play in the match on Monday. The wicket during this period was decidedly difficult, and if the Australian bowlers had been able to make full use of its condition England might have had six or seven wickets down by lunch-time instead of having 101 up and only two men out. The wicket improved steadily for the rest of the day, and Australia's one and only chance of holding their own gradually vanished with its improvement, especially as this was coincident with a falling off in the quality of their bowling. At the same time England were lucky not to lose Hayward. Had the chance at the wicket which the Surrey man offered when 14 been accepted there is no saying what would have happened. But the let-off was of course an Australian mistake, and England were entitled to the benefit derived therefrom. Hayward's steady defence laid the foundation of England's large total, and he is therefore entitled to share with Jackson and Spooner the batting honours of the game so far as England are concerned.

The wicket was never easy during the whole of Australia's first innings. Brearely, who has made for himself the fine test-match record of eight wickets for 126 runs, made splendid use of his opportunity, and by dismissing Trumper, Duff, and Noble so cheaply he caused an English victory to be almost certain. His fine bowling on Wednesday morning also contributed to the result, while it was backed up by some superb fielding, Rhodes in particular distinguishing himself by his work in the slips and at short leg. Nor must the fine judgement of the English captain be overlooked. F. S. Jackson was always popular, and no man could ever have worked better with his team. He will now be more popular than ever.

Not many records have been made in the cricket field this season, but without troubling the score files, one suspects that if everything is taken into consideration W. Cook, who played at Old Trafford for the first time for Lancashire in the match against Gloucestershire, has gone very near to setting up a very fine one. Cook is quite a young fellow, and is the son of the groundsman at Preston, where, as well as with the Enfield team, he has had some useful practice. He is about of medium heoight and of good physical ability, so that with youth on his side he ought to have a fine career. One hesitates to describe him as either a fast or a medium-paced bowler. The fact is that he varies his pace, and although most of his balls are just a little quicker than the medium, he sends down an occasional fast shooter.

Having the good fortune to go in first on a wicket that was in perfect condition, Middlesex gave a magnificent display of batting at Lord's against Essex. Staying in the whole of the time play was in progress—four hours and fifty minutes—they scored 480 and lost only six wickets. Thus throughout the day runs came at an average rate of 100 an hour. This splendid total was mainly the work of Warner and Bosanquet, who made 331 of the runs between them. Warner was seen at quite his best, and his innings would of itself have rendered the day's cricket noteworthy. Bosanquet, however, was in one of his happiest moods, and his brilliant hitting quite dwarfed his colleague's fine effort. When thoroughly set, and playing his natural game, there is no batsman at present before the public better worth watching than Bosanquet, and the Essex bowlers had a painful experience of his powers. Paying little attention to style, he hits with tremendous vigour, and when in the mood he can reduce the best bowling to the level of the village green. Middlesex gave a trial to H. E. Pearce, a young amateur who has done well in the Colts' and Second Eleven matches. He is played primarily for his batting, but is said to be a useful right hand slow bowler.

The international doubles played at Wimbledon was a great game. Ward and Wright, the Americans, met R. F. and H. L. Doherty, and after a splendid match were beaten by three sets to two, the scores being: 8-10 6-2 6-2 4-6 8-6. The play all round was very fine. The Dohertys forsook their usual formation for receiving the service. Formerly the receiver's partner stood a little inside the service line, and the receiver was thus enabled to quickly range alongside him, and then the brothers volleyed from their feet. Ward and Wright are entitled to every credit for the fine game they put up. They are strong at every point. Holcombe Ward should cultivate his forehand drive a little more, for it is often badly wanted in a double where quick-dropping cross-court passes are always required, and probably no one knows so well as he does that you cannot drop a chop as quickly as a lifted ball. Wright, the ubiquitous and scientific resurrector of smashes, was everywhere, and rescued more apparently certain scores to the other side during the match than most men do in a lifetime. The value of the American service of the forehand drive with lift, of the baseline position for the strikers out, of the close position to the net for volleying, of cut for giving accuracy and delicacy in dealing with the ball, and of the natural grip of the racket as used all over the world except in England, has been proved time and again during the last month's lawn tennis, and if the lessons taught by our visitors be laid to heart, we shall soon see an increase in the promising colts of lawn tennis.

There was a sensational termination to the cross-Channel swim from Dover to Calais by Mr. Edward Heaton, of Liverpool, the swimmer and friends accompanying him having an exceedingly narrow escape of being run down by a mail steamer during a dense fog which sprung up in the Channel. At this time the swim had been going on for nearly six hours, the last two being in a very dense and dangerous fog, which got thicker each hour, and under the instructions of Captain Foster, the Trinity, pilot in charge of the swim, the tug kept continuously sounding her syren. The conditions of this swim were very depressing, the syrens of other steamers could be heard on all sides as they made their way through the busy straits of Dover, and it was evident to those on board that there was imminent risk of being run into. The swim had been commenced under very fair conditions at 7-40 in the morning, but the sea was anything but ideal for such a protracted effort, However, it war hoped that as the day wore on this might improve, and Heaton did not care for another day's postponement, wishing to keep faith with the public. He entered the water from the Admiralty Pier head. He had been greased down by his trainer, Mr. Harrison, and wore a mask and goggles similar to Holpein's, a skull cap. He was cheered when he took his plunge, and went off at a splendid pace, making 28 strokes to the minute. For the greater part of his swim Heaton used his favourite over-arm stroke, occasionally varying it for the breast stroke. Progress was very rapid in the first hour two miles had been made on the direct course from Dover to France whilst there had been about a mile drift with the eastern tide. The wind now began to freshen, and the fog which had prevailed earlier in the morning rose again during the second hour, blotting out the English cliffs.

THE PRO-CONSULS.

["The foundations which Lord Milner has laid are firm and strong and he may leave other men to build upon them in the proud consciousness that, but for the decision, which he took six years ago, there might now be ruins where a fair and stately building is slowly rising."]—"Times."

The overfaithful sword returns the user
His heart's desire at price of his heart's blood:
The clamour of the arrogant accuser
Wastes that one hour we needed to make good.
This was foretold of old at our outgoing;
This we accepted who have squandered, knowing.
The strength and glory of our reputations,
At the day's need, as it were dross, to guard
The tender and new-dedicate foundations
Against the sea we fear—not man's award.

They that dig foundations deep,
Fit for realms to rise upon,
Little honour do they reap
Of their generation,
Any more than mountains gain
Stature, till we reach the plain.

With no veil before their face
Such as shroud or sceptre lend—
Daily in the market place,
Of one height to foe and friend,
They must cheapen self to find
Ends uncheapened for mankind.

Through the night when hirelings rest,
Sleepless they rise, alone.
The unsleeping arch to test
And the o'er-trusted corner-stone.
'Gainst the need, they know, that lies
Hid behind the centuries.

Not by lust of praise or show,
Not by Peace herself betrayed.
Peace herself must they forgo
Till that peace be fitly made:
And in single strength uphold
Wearier hands and hearts acold.

On the stage their act hath framed
To thy sports O Liberty!
Doubted are they, and defamed
By the tongues their act set free,
While they quicken tend and raise
Power that must their power displace.

Lesser men feign greater goals,
Failing whereof they may sit
Scholarly to judge the souls
That go down into the pit
And, despite its certain clay,
Heave a new world towards the day.

These, at labour, make no sign,
More than planets, tides or years,
Which discover God's design,
Not our hopes, and not our fears:
Nor in aught they gain or lose
Seek a triumph or excuse.

For, so the Ark be borne to Zion, who
Heeds how they perished or were paid that bore it,
For so the shrine abide what shame—what pride—
If we, the priest, were bound or crowned before it?—

RUDYARD KIPLING in the "Times."

FIST—PEN—SWORD.

If the pen is mightier than the sword then there appears to be something stronger than both. The Editor of the "Philippines Gossip" is in hospital as a result of a meeting with the new proprietor of the "Sunday Sun." The forme had said in his paper that Mr. Wall was not really the owner of the "Sun," and that it belonged to a Jew moneylender, Mr. Wall says:—"I hit him and knocked him down. When he got up, I knocked him down again, I asked him if he had got enough. He had, so I let him go after that."

CRICKET IN BOMBAY.

(Concluded from page 5.)

No mention of the principal performances in the match would be complete without a reference to the wicket-keeping of Sanderson and Bayford, who both fulfilled the responsible duties of that position with great credit to themselves. Scores:—

BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Mr S N Powell, b Ling	20	c and b Ling	6
Mr M E Nigel Jones, c Stevens, b Ling	4	c Stevens, b Airy	25
Mr A H S Aston, c Rutter, b Ling	22	b Stevens	27
Mr J A C Kiddle, c Bayford, b Clarke	77	l-b-w Ling	4
Mr E A Wodehouse, c Airy, b Ling	0	b Winterbottom	2
Mr D F Vines, b Winterbottom	5	b Ling	2
Mr H E Harrington, c Bayford, b Airy	16	not out	28
Mr J L Ainsworth, c Winterbottom, b Clarke	11	c Gray, b Ling	31
Mr P M D Sanderson, c Winterbottom, b Clarke	10	b Winterbottom	4
Mr T G Ward, not out	2	c Lyon, b Ling	2
Mr W R B Douglas, c Carnegy, b Clarke	1	b Ling	15
Byes 2, leg byes 1, no balls 1	4	Byes 10, leg byes 3, wides 2	15
Total	172	Total	161

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

1st Innings.

	O	R	M	W
Lieut Ling	13	44	3	4
Colonel Stevens	5	23	1	0
Brd. Winterbottom	11	33	3	1
Lieut Airy	11	43	1	1
Captain Clarke*	7-2	25	1	4

* Bowled one no ball.

2nd Innings.

	O	R	M	W
Lieut Ling	18	62	2	6
Col Stevens	11	32	2	1
Brd. Winterbottom	11	33	2	2
Lieut Airy	7	9	2	1
Captain Clarke	2	10	...	...

POONA GYMKHANA.

1st Innings,		2nd Innings.	
Major C G Carnegy, b Powell	8	l-b-w Ainsworth	27
Captain E F Rutter, not out	60	c Aston, b Powell	9
Captain M O Clarke, b Powell	11	c Wodehouse, b Powell	10
Lieut J O Airy, c Wodehouse, b Ainsworth	1	st Sanderson, b Douglas	29
Lieut W T Finlayson, b Powell	0	b Powell	0
Bombardier Winterbottom, c Nigel Jones, b Powell	2	not out	16
Lieut C S Ling, c Ward, b Powell	4	b Powell	3
Lieut C W Lyon, c Powell, b Douglas	2	b Powell	0
Colonel C F Stevens, c Powell, b Douglas	3	b Douglas	0
Captain E H Bayford, c Nigel Jones b Wodehouse	9	b Ward	22
Captain Grey, c Douglas, b Powell	2	c Douglas, b Ainsworth	33
Byes 6, leg byes 3 wides 2	11	Byes 5, leg byes 2, no balls 3	10
Total	113	Total	159

BOWLING ANALYSIS

1st Innings.

	O	R	M	W
Mr Ainsworth	7	21	1	1
Mr Powell	10—1	34	...	6
Mr Douglas	8	17	...	2
Mr Ward	6	16	...	...
Mr Wodehouse	2	14	...	1

2nd Innings.

	O	R	M	W
Mr Powell	20	40	5	5
Mr Douglas*	17	46	6	2
Mr Ainsworth*	3—2	12	1	2
Mr Kiddle	7	13	1	...
Mr Ward	5	23	1	1
Mr Wodehouse	2	15	...	...

* Mr Douglas bowled 1 no ball and Ainsworth 2.

KANARA CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION C. C. vs. CORONATION C. C.

A cricket match was played between the Kanara Catholic Association C. C. and Coronation C. C. on Marine Lines Maidan, on Sunday, and resulted in a win for the K. C. A. C. C. by 80 runs.

KANARA CATHOLIC ASSOCIATION C. C.

A Tellis, b Wadia	0
A Lobo, c and b Wadia	24
B Lobo, c and b Bulsara	1
A Correa, c Pirozshah, b Bulsara	43
M Vas, b Bulsara	5
R Pinto, l-b-w Billimoria	10
L D'Souza, b Bulsara	23
J Tellis, b Bulsara	0
Leo D'Souza, b Wadia	7
D Monteiro, not out	1
L D'Sa, stumped out	1
Extras	16
Total	131

CORONATION C. C.

Billimoria, b Correa	1
Daver, run out	0
Wadia, b B Lobo	1
Bulsara, c and b Correa	0
Havildar, c Pinto, b Correa	13
Bharucha, b B Lobo	4
Parelwalla, b B Lobo	0
Dastur, c and b Correa	11
Master, c and b B Lobo	1
Parakh, run out	0
Dubash, not out	0
Extras	20
Total	51

CRICKET AT NAGPUR.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

AUGUST 13.

THE last week has witnessed the termination of one of the best fixtures of local cricket. The match C. P. Police vs. Nagpur Gymkhana always attracts the whole station, but this year I noticed a number of upcounty people. The proceedings opened on Friday by the local Gymkhana going in first, and by careful play filling up the pretty respectable score of 137. Captain Goring-Jones who for a number of years took and still takes the greatest interest in cricket scored 36 in fine style. Mr. Fanshawe played a faultless 52. Mr. F.S.A. Slocock, a fine free bat fell to pieces in the first innings and earned a duck's egg. This is a great pity. Lovers of cricket like to see him play, for in addition to possessing a free and easy style, he has vigorous hitting powers.

Shortly after tiffin the Police went in for the first time. This is a strong team, as events proved. They ran up the good score of 239. Mr. Godfrey, who scored 93 had the misfortune of stopping, short of 7 to complete his century. He is a splendid bat, and the confidence with which he plays is very pleasant to notice. Mr. Coventry, the Secretary for cricket, made his 47 by his mirth-provoking patters. Mr. Latham scored 37 by careful play. The others did little or nothing, and the whole team fell for 239.

In their second venture the local Gymkhana improved matters and playing well ran up the score to 190. Mr. H. Newbond, a good cricketer, made 68 in his usual style, but after being set for his century placed his foot against the bowler and paid for his temerity. Mr. Rutnam, the grand bowler, made 26, while Mr. Slocock partially redeemed his reputation by putting together 14 runs.

Cricket is really a game of chance. In their first innings the Police scored 239, but for the second time of asking they fell to pieces and all were out for 76. With the exception of Mr. Cleveland, who scored 27 and Mr. Sewell who compiled 19 there was a regular procession to and fro, and from apparent victors the Police passed out as defeated by 12 runs. All wish them better luck in the return. The following are the full scores:—

C. P. GYMKHANA.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Mr Hullah, c Godfrey, b Cleveland	0	c Sewell, b Cleveland	30
Capt Goring-Jones, b Latham	36	l-b-w	23
Capt Plowden, b Mayberry	4		
Mr Fanshawe, b Mayberry	52	l-b-w	8
Mr Ratnam, b Mayberry	2	b Cleveland	26
Mr H Newbond, not out	9	l-b-w	68
Mr A Kirke, b Mayberry	0	c Coventry, b Mayberry	15
Mr F S A Slocock, c Fanshawe b Mayberry	0	c Coventry b Cleveland	14
Mr Watts, c Latham, b Coventry	17	Stumped	9
Mr J A Bathurst, c Phayfair, b Coventry	8	not out	1
Mr Beadon, b Coventry	4	c Herbert, b Cleveland	1
Mr Clutherouck	0	b Mayberry	0
Extras	7	Extras	5
Total	139	Total	190

C. P. POLICE.

1st Innings.		2nd Innings.	
Mr Cleveland, b Ratnam	2	b Goring-Jones	27
Mr Coventry, b Goring-Jones	47	c and b Ratnam	3
Mr Latham, c Watts b Ratnam	37	b Ratnam	0
Mr Mayberry, c Beason, b Kirke	17	b Ratnam	4
Mr Godfrey, not out	93	b Newbond	4
Mr Sewell, c Kirke, b Ratnam	7	b Newbond	19
Mr Morony, c Sab, b Goring-Jones	9	c Goring-Jones, b Ratnam	1
Mr Blayfair, c Newbond, b Goring-Jones	6	b Katnam	0
Mr Fanshawe, b Goring-Jones	1	b Newbond	3
Mr Peters, b Goring-Jones	3	b Ratnam	3
Mr Herbert, b Goring-Jones	2	not out	0
Extras	15	Extras	7
Total	239	Total	71

A CORRESPONDENT of the "Telegraph" points out a bull made by Lord Rosebery the other day when discussing the Government defeat. He said: "They are straining the very structure of the Constitution in a way which threatens its foundations." I can understand (the correspondent remarks) injury to foundations threatening a structure, but if the converse is the case the Constitution, like the Opposition, must be topsy-turvy.

POONA MOTOR CYCLE TRIALS.

THE ARRANGEMENTS UP TO DATE.

The trials will take place on the 27th inst. The entries which are filling rapidly and will include most of the makes of motors, the competitors hailing from Bombay, Belgaum, Sholapur and Poona. Mr. F. H Vincent, D. S. P., has kindly consented to act as "Starter" and to accompany the machines in the cars which will go behind the competitors.

The machines will be drawn up in a line near the Parbuttee Villa chowki and will be sent off at an interval of one minute at 6 a. m. exactly. Running straight on to Parbati the road turns sharply to the left and then runs straight on to Satara. The Katraj Ghaut is encountered between the 8 and 11 mile stone. The gradient is in some parts steep, but with a little assistance a 2 H. P. motor should overcome it. Continuously on a "give and take road," through "Shivapur" and other small villages, the control is reached at Shirwal, about 32 miles. Refreshments will be served here and the rider must show on his card a stop of 15 minutes. Mr. A. J. Howard Smith will be the official observer here.

The second stage of the journey continues on better road, but the Khandala Ghaut with its steep gradients and weather beaten roads will prove a trial to the competitors. At Sirval, 48 miles, the machines will take the road to the left which will be marked with a flag and patrolled. Punctures here may prove troublesome and the roads are hard. Passing through "Bhamj" and "Urtara" and keeping on the main road the road brings you to the outskirts of Satara. The Travellers' Bungalow will be the rendezvous of the competitors and is on the main road and the approach to it marked with boards and flags. Here there will be an interval of 30 minutes for lunch. Messrs A. Benevell & H. Kenny will receive the motorists and mark their times. The competitors will then return home. The Judges will receive them near the Parvati Tennis Courts where the competitors will be "At home" to their friends. The time allowed for the ride will be 11 hours so that the competitors should arrive between 5 and 6-30 p. m. The conditions of the trials are as follows:

1. That no Machine above 3 1-2 H P should be entered.
2. That the Trials should be finished in 11 hours including controls. The riders to arrive within that time will receive medals present and will be further entitled to run for the Aga Shah Trophy.
3. If only one competitor finishes the distance in that time he will receive the Aga Shah Trophy without further competition.
4. In the event of no rider finishing the distance in 11 hours, the first five to arrive after that time will receive medals. The first three besides the medals presented being entitled to run for the Aga R Shah Trophy. The other two silver medals.
5. The Aga Shah Trophy will be run for the same evening or the next day at a time to be fixed by the Judges. The competition will be one of speed and hill climbing from the house near the turning into Katraj up to the Tunnel, and can only be competed for by those who have finished the Reliability Test as laid down above.

Mr. Pat Stewart, the Honorary Secretary who has been over the course, in a car reports that the roads are in very fair condition. Of course there are parts where it is "slushly" and conducive to side slips, but given a few days' fair weather and sun, the road should be one which will fairly try the machines and riders' capabilities near Poona and Satara, half the road is under repair, but other part is quite enough for a motor cycle track. The portions of the trial where caution will have to be used will be in descending the Ghauts, especially "Khandalla" and in two or three right-angled corners.

The trials bid fair to be a great success and Mr. Aga Shah Rookh Shah has placed a Challenge Cup valued Rs. 500 at the disposal of the Secretary, to be run for yearly commencing from 1906. Poona will thus be far ahead of many other centres in the coming method of conveyance.

THE WEATHER.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SIMLA, AUG. 15.

Nearly general rain has fallen in Assam, Bengal, Behar, Chota Nagpur, and the Central Provinces and local rain in Burma, East of Central India, the Deccan South India, and on the Konkan Coast. A few light falls have occured in the United Provinces, and the Submontane Districs in the extreme north. The chief falls are Jalpaiguri 4 1/2 inches, Nagpur, and Dirajpur 2 1/2 inches, Dhubri, Bijapur and Nawgong 2 inches, Pendra, Mormagao, and Hossagabad 1 1/2 inches, and Jubbulpore, Shillong Mymensingh Gauhati, Lashio, Moulmein, and Sambalpur 1 inch. In Hyderabad, Madras, the Deccan, and the extreme South of the Peninsula, the skies are partially cleared. otherwise the monsoon conditions have not materially changed. Preseure distribution is less unfavourable than it has been for the for mation of a depression in the Bay. Nearly general rain is probable in Assam, Behar, Chota Nagpur and the Central Provinces, and local rain in Burma, Bengal, and on the West Coast. A few falls may occur in the United Provinces, East of Central India Bombay, the Deccan and on the Orissa Coast.

RAINFALL IN BOMBAY.

	Byculla. In. Cts.	Esplanade. In. Cts.	Fort, In. Cts.	Colaba. In. Cts.
Previously registered	27 19	23 90	28 27	23 49
Tuesday 15th, August	0 00	0 00	0 00	0 00
Total	27 19	23 90	28 27	23 49
Total fall to 15th, Aug '04	33 99	34 28	35 87	29 21
Total fall to 15th, Aug '03	......	60 80	54 49	57 09

RAINFALL AT CUMBALLA HILL.

	11th Aug. and 15th Aug. Inch.	Cents.
From 6 a.m. to 6 a.m.	0	00

G. I. P. RAILWAY,

The following is the list of total rainfall gauged during the week ending Friday, 4th August.

	In.	Cts.		In.	Cts.
Jubbulpore	18	95	Khervadi	11	79
Raver	10	70	Nasik	13	25
Nimbora	13	51	Devlali	10	78
Bodwad	10	82	Gooti	44	69
Varangaon	9	60	Hotgi	2	87
Bhadli	16	39	Mohol	2	69
Jalgaon	16	0	Madha	3	67
Shirsoli	11	60	Barsi Junc.	5	0
Mhasawad	12	5	Kem	4	53
Maheji	11	75	Jeur	7	52
Pachora	11	87	Pomalvadi	4	9
Kajgaon	10	82	Diksal	2	91
Rajmane	14	45	Dhond	5	69
Chalisgaon	5	45	Talegaon	17	50
Naydongri	12	8	Lonavla	71	47
Nandgaon	9	13	Neral	64	38
Manmad	6	88	Kasara	29	53
Lasalgaon	8	8			

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 A.M. ON TUESDAY, THE 15TH AUGUST.

SUMMARY.

Pressure has decreased briskly at Colombo, Negapatam, Trichinopoly and Madras and has changed irregularly or by small amounts elsewhere. It is in slight defect or excess of normal in Ceylon, the Madras Presidency and on the Malabar Coast and in moderate to considerable excess elsewhere.

Winds are easterly or south-easterly at Cochin, Calicut and Indore, southerly at Madras, and south-westerly to north-westerly elsewhere. The force has been strong at Karachi and Malegaon and fresh to light elsewhere.

Temperature.—The greatest departures are:—Maximum 5° to 12° in excess of normal in Rajputana and at Jhansi, Agra, Delhi, Neemuch Ahmednagar and Bijapur; minimum 5° to 6° in excess in Rajputana and at Agra, Delhi and Sholapur. The highest temperature in the shade was 104° at Jacobabad and the lowest 67° at Bangalore and Belgaum.

Cloud and Humidity.—The sky is cloudy to overcast over a large area.

Rain—Twenty-five stations report rain to-day, the heaviest and important falls being 2 30" at Nagpur and between one and two inches at Marmgao, Bijapur, Hoshangabad and Jubbulpore.

Weather.—Monsoon continues weak but the other general weather conditions being favourable rain is likely along the West Coast and local showers in the Madras Presidency, Berar, the Central and United Provinces and over the Deccan.

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Meteorological Reporter for Western India.

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WRITERS AND READERS.

The "Academy," for a seasonable topic, has given us an interesting disquiston on Baedeker and the modern guide-book and reminds us how very modern this kind of book is, the first Murray dating only from 1836. During the last few years there has been no more flourishing branch of book-making than that of what one might call the higher guide-book—book of the mediæval town, of the highway and byway, the little guides, and so forth; to say nothing of the books of sentimental journeyings like Mr. Belloc's and Mr. Hewlett's towards which, no doubt, Louis Stevenson gave an effective impulse.

"One of the original "Murray's" is a famous book, and of its kind a classic. That is the first edition of "Spain," by Richard Ford. It was published in 1845 in two stout volumes of small print. The book was afterwards reduced to the more conventional form and style of guide-book but it is the first edition that is the treasure worth facing even the double columns of small print for. In a time before railways Ford spent three years in the saddle, traversing the Peninsula from one end to the other, and afterwards digesting the local histories. The result was a book 'sui generis.'"

Mr. Murray is at length going to give us Ford's correspondence, and for the editing has secured the services of Mr. Rowland Pothero. It ought to make a book full of interest. Amongst other things, Ford was for many years a close correspondent of George Borrow. It is perhaps partly due to Ford that the "Bible in Spain" is so delicious a book. Ford, at all events, gave Borrow admirable advice, particularly encouraging him to seize on the old characters and give his exprienccs of them in dramatic dialogue, warning him not to mind nimmanypimmiany people thinking subjects low. He told Murray that Borrow—who was not always complaisant—took his advice in good part. At any rate, "The Bible" has precisely the kind of good things that Ford desired. Ford, by the way, strongly recommended Borrow in his autobiographical romances to have no nonsense about what Borrow's bigrapher has called the veiled period. Botrow would have saved the biographer a great deal if he had taken Ford's advice on this point.

Ford reviewed The Bible in Spain, in the 'Quarterly" and Borrow admitted to Murry that it was too laudatory. But Ford has said privately to Murray things quite as strong. He told Murray he had been afraid that Lockhart did not quite appreciate such a trump as he knew Borrow to be." He is as full of meat as an egg, and a fresh-laid one—not one of your Inglis breed, long addled over book-making. Borrow will lay you golden eggs, and hatch them after the ways of Egypt. Put salt on his tail, and secure him in your coop, and beware how any poacher coaxes him with raisins or reasons out of the Albemarle preseres. Another collection of letters is promised which ought to prove of considerable literary interest and that is the correspondence of our late Doctor Johnsonissimas, Dr. Birkbeck Hill. His daughter, Mrs. Crump, who is to edit it, appeals to all who have in their possession letters of his likely to be of use, for the loan of them. Documents should be sent to her at No. 1, The Wilderness, Holly Hill, Hampstead, N. W.

Mr. E. V. Lucas has been proclaiming his discovery that the great letter-writers of literature are the bachelors. He quotes Cowper, Horace Walpole, Lamb, Fitzgerald, and thinks that for practical purposes Byron may pass for a bachelor. He then at the close confesses comically that he had quite forgotten that Fitzgerald was a married man, though he himself knew Mrs. Fitzerald personally, and corresponded with her. The slip of memory is most excusable. Fitzgerald was most undoubtedly the exceptional married man that proves the rule. Mr. Lucas does not refer, as he might have done, to the damning fact that when Robert Lloyd married he ceased to keep up his correspondence with Charles Lamb. Think of it! When, however, Mr. Lucas's own correspondence is published, his dictum may be in danger.

One of Fitzgerald's literary favourites—a Pope in worsted stockings, Horace Smith called him—Crabbe, the poet—is about to have his celebration to mark his 150th anniversary. The anniversary fell on Christamas Eve last year, but the celebration is to take place on Sept. 16-18 next at Aldeburgh. There will be, we learn, papers, manuscripts, pictures, relics, tableaux, and excursions. Literature is to be made, as Matthew Arnold used to say, a sociable affair. This is a celebration not quite after Fitzgerald's hearrt, whose own favourite instrument of recommendation was a pair of scissors. I am not convinced that people can be induced to read Crabbe in this way, but, it will be all for their good if they are.

"Another particularly interesting announcement in the matter of biographical literature is that we are to have the biography of John Henry Newman, from the apt and able hands of Mr. Wilfrid Ward, the biographer already of Ideal Ward and Wiseman. Newman's own Apologia is so matchless, and the literature of the Oxford movement, though so voluminous, has to so unusual an extent been vital, that this strange lacuna has not been felt. But it was impossible that it should be left unfilled.

Is it not a mistake, asks a contemporary weekly journal, for literary papers to give lists of The Best Selling Books' week by week, or month by mouth? It is unfairly handicapping the books which are best for worthier reasons. If the principle implied in its remark were fully carried out it would obviously be the duty of literary papers to devote most of their space to learned and recondite works. If a new popular novel and a large work on palæontology were allotted columns according to their respective merits, the popular novel might suffer. On the other hand, more readers are interested in popular novels than in palæontology; and even literary papers have to consider their readers. Yet there is a real force in the objection to advertising regularly the "Best Selling Books." To do so is to give news; but it may also mean the suppression of news—for instance, as to the books of real merit which have not sold, or the trivial accidents which are often responsible for the success of a book. Nor is it asking too much of a professedly literary paper to expect that it should aim at furthering the success of good books, and that it should wish bad books to fail.

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M. G. Demartial's study on "La Bureaucratie Russe" should be of considerable service to those who would really know the different factors of the problem now being worked out in the unhappy Russian Empire. As with all modern institutions in Russia, it was Peter the Great who, in 1722, establishep the tchin, or hierarchy, of officials rising in fourteen grades from what we should call the cadet to the Tsar himself, not only the fount, but the crown of the whole system. But in setting up this Peter had much less in view the good government of the country than the breaking of the power of the nobles, whom he found, as in most European countries at one period of the their history, pressing much too closely round the throne to be pleasant for its occupant. Hence he endeavoured to lessen gradually the power of the landed aristocrocy by providing that no one should be styled noble unless he were a public functionary or born of parents who had themselves exercised public functions. Even when nobility was once obtained, it might be lost, and is still the rule that a family which for two generations fills no public office loses its nobility. And, as the army was but one branch of the public service, it was organized in the some way—a captain, who holds what may be called the ninth degree under the Tsar, being a kind of life peer; while the general, who occupies the fourth, is allowed to transmit his nobility to his descendants. Something of the same kind existed in the later Roman Empire, as organized by Diocletian.

The date for the next Entrance Examination for the Indian Staff College cannot yet be fixed, but it can hardly take place before the 1st March, 1906, which date is to be taken as that determining the age qualification of candidates. The syllabus of subjects for examination is the same as the one for the Camberley College published with Army Order 17 of 1905. The voluntary subjects in history will be the Chitral Campaign, 1895, and the Tirah Campaign of 1897, or the Peninsula War from May, 1812 to the 31st August, 1813.

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THE TALLYHO PLATE. Distance—1 1-4 miles over 6 flights.
Mr F W Barrett's The Pirate King (aged)
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Captain H C Guest's Spark (aged)
Mr Locke's Baran II (aged)
H H the Kour Sahib of Patiala's Firewater
Mr C E Reynard's Vienard (6 years)
Mr R J Hunter's War Dance (aged)
General B Mahon's Corril Roy (aged)
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Mr H B Pike's Musketeer
Major G Moore's Daroji (aged)

THE OLD STAND PLATE. Distance—7 furlongs.
Messrs M Goculdas and A Nanjee's Tubal Cain (aged)
H H the Kour Saheb of Patiala's Cherry
Mr W Moran's Epitome (aged)
H H Aga Khan and Aga S Shah's Firecracker
Aga S Shah's Prasturck
Mr C Murray's Sacristan II (3 years)
Mr Hajee Ally's Rustom (aged)
Messrs Bicach and Avasia's Testwood (5 years)
Mr B W O Thompson's Diakkaway
Mr J C Galstaun's Sainte Marquise
Mr J C Galstaun's Siverside II
Mr S D Mehta's Blue Blood
Major G Moore's Half-a-Crown (6 years)

THE PONY PLATE. Distance—5 furlongs.
Mr E C Ramshaw's Quick Remedy, by the Rush—Cause Cure, 14-1
Messrs M Goculdass and A Nanjee's Olgar, 14-0 3-4
Mr C E Tayleur's Tarcools, 14-9 3 4
H H Aga Khan and Aga S Shah's Hooded Monk, 14-0
Mr G K's Veera, 14-0
Mr R J Hunter's Haydn, 14-0
H H the Kour Saheb of Patiala's Red Shot, 14-0 1-4
Mr Preston's Zoe, 14-1
Mr W H Bass' S P, 14-1
Mr W H Bass' Filbert, 14-1

MAIDEN PLATE. Distance—6 furlongs
Mr Ebrahim bin Talib's Tindle, 13-3 1-2
Messr M Goculdas, and A Nanjee and A Gany's Admiral Togo, 13-3
Messrs Wood and Badger's Dilerjung, 13-3
Harpagos, 13-3 3-4
Mr W Moran's Young Gazelle, 13-2
Messrs G A S Mahomed A Saif, and L K Kapadia's Settler 13-1 1-2
Mr Mahmood bin Mahomed's Karader, 14-0
Mr Jawad Mahomed's Air Moter, 13-3
Mr Mujeed Jurjis' Ashroff, 14-0
Mr Khabi bin Dooree's Kandell, 14-0
Mr Peel's British India, 13-2 1-2
Mr A A Ameer's Caravan, 13-3
Mr Ebrahim Ameer's Young Nero, 13-3
Mr Gopaljee's How's That, 13-8
Mr Sahad bin Faraj's Moohachill, 13-2 1-2
Mr R R S'e Khoozam, 13-2 1 4
Mr R R S's Thunderstorms, 13 2 1 4
Mr R R S's Darby, 13-2 1-4
Major G Moore's Marsh, 13-3 3-4

THE DESERT HANDICAP. Distance—1 mile.
Mr Ab bin Talib's Badhur (5 years)
Mr Mustapha bin Talib's Faithful, 14-0 (aged)
Messrs M Goculdas and A Nanjee's False Start, 13-3 3-4 (aged)
Aga S Shah's St Gatien
Aga S Shah's Arabistan, 13-3 1-2
Messrs M G S Mahomed and F Saif's Smasher (6 years)
Mr Tahar Yuni's Beyroot (5 years)
Captain Toogood's St Gris, 13-3 (aged)
Messrs Ahmed bin Talib and C Dhunjeebhaw's Silvermane (aged)
Mr F E Dharward's Young Kaiser (5 years)
Mr Kassam Jurjis' Laffy (5 years)
Mr A N Ameer's Lachin, 14-0 (6 years)
Mr L H Spence's Vasco, 14-0
Mr Carmer's Arabian Flag (5 years)
Major Jameson's Avatar (6 years)
Major G Moore's Marsh, 13-2 3-4 (aged)
Mr S R Dakeel's Marshed, 13-2 1-2 (aged)
Mr F M Garda's Kour Sahib, 13-3 1-2 (aged)

THE MIDGET HANDICAP. Distance—5 furlongs.
Messrs M Goculdas and A Nanjee's Grey Fox, 13-2
Messrs M Goculdas and A Nanjee's Victor Wild, 13-2 12
Messrs Wood and Badger's William Rufus, 13-2
Messrs Wood and Badger's Shah Jehan, 13-2
Mr W Moran's Young Gazelle, 13-2
Aga S Shah's Oriental, 13-2 1-2
Aga S Shah's Swazi, 13-2
Mr G K's Dispute, 13-3
Messrs M H S Mahomed and A M Saif's Guiding Star, 13-2 1-2
Mr M Ally's Napoleon, 13-3
Mr Alex A Essayie's Malabar, 13-3
Mr Artin A Essayie's Little Joker, 13-1 1-2
Mr K Nowrojee's Johns, 13-2 3-4
Mr A S Oomer's Sabig, 13-2 3-4
Mr Peel's British India, 13-2 1-2
Maj Lee's Caledonia, 13-2 1 4
Mr R Gopaljee's How's That, 13-3
Mr R R S's Thunderstorm, 13-2 1-4
Mr R R S's Mint, 13-3
Mr R R S's Rose, 13-3
Mr L H Spence's Zurriff 13-2 1-2
Mr Valentine's Jan Alum, 13-2 3-4
Mr Nasar Abdoola's Clever Boy, 13-2 1 4
Mr O E Tayleur's Whiteface, 13-3
Mr Peel's Plassey, 13-2 12
Mr DeSouza's Sir Jamal, 13-1 3-4
Mr Percy Fischer's Governor, 13-2 3-4

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Mr W H Anderson's Mitre, 13-3
Colonel Abud's Musket, 13-2
Captain Davies' May Duke, 14-0
Major T P England's Back Flag, 13-3 3-4
Major E Crawley's Mirza, 13-3 1-2

THE CITY MORTALITY.

The Municipal Office returns for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 a. m., yesterday, give the following results:—

Wards.	Plague Attacks.	Plague Deaths.	Deaths from all Causes.
A Upper, Middle and Lower Colaba, Fort Northern, Fort Southern and Esplanade ...	0	0	2
B Mandvi, Chukla, Oomerkhadi and Dongri..............	5	2	20
C Market, Dhobi Talao, Fanaswady, Bhuleshwar, Khara Talao and Kumbharwada	1	0	17
D Khetwadi, Girgaum, Chowpati, Walkeshwar, and Mahaluxmi	0	0	5
E Mazagon, Tarwady, 2nd Nagpada, Kamatipura, Tardeo, Byculla and 1st Nagpada..............................	1	1	20
F Parel, Sewree and Sion ...	1	1	8
G Mahim and Worli	0	0	13
Water Division	0	0	0
North-Resident and Unknown	0	0	0
Hospitals	0	0	10
Total...........	8	4	95
Total plague deaths to date...	304,398	259,334	
Same date last year	6	6	95

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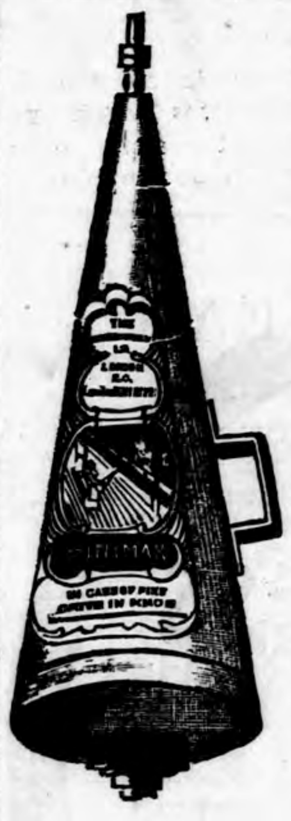

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